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Ancestors and Descendants

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To the descendants of

Joseph Cox

May your heritage be rich with
his courage and full of his spirit
of adventure. He was truly a pio-
neer.

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T H E N A M E A N D F A M I L Y

The earliest mention of the Cox name occurs in connection with the history of the Norman Conquest. Among the families of France that followed the fortunes of the redoubtable King William was that of Le Coq. This was subsequently changed to Le Cock, and later to Cokkys, and from that, by easy transition, to the great variety of names under which the family has been known since in England and America.

As to the origin and meaning of the word there has been much speculation.

Lower, in his book on English surnames, suggests that it is probably a synonym of little, from which it might be inferred that the founder of the family was somewhat diminutive in stature. He thinks it possible, however, that it may have been derived from the Latin cocus, a cook, and corrupted from that to the more familiar name, Cocke, Cocks, Cox and Coxe.

Bloomfield, another authority, in his history of Norfolk County, England, derives the name from Coke or Cocke, meaning a river or water course, and in support of this view, refers to such names as Cokesford, Cockthorpe, Cockermouth and Cocksedge, which, he says, were in use among the early Britons.

There is perhaps an element of truth in both theories, and among the numerous Cox families of Great Britain it is quite possible that many may have originated after the manner described. On the other hand, it is not unreasonable to suppose that many more, and perhaps the greater number, have descended from the man who came from France bearing the distinctive appellation of the Cock, which afterwards became the patronymic of the family. Surnames were not in general use at the time, and did not become common in England until about the thirteenth century.

It is probable that the founder of the family was dubbed Le Coq, from some circumstance which suggested a resemblance to that valorous bird, and that the name, whether given in jest or in earnest, was significant of fighting qualities, and of constant watchfulness, whether with a view to defense against a foe, or to aggressive warfare. The latter view corresponds, moreover, with the heraldic devices and mottoes which appear on a number of the more ancient of the family crests.

One of these is distinguished by a cock, bearing his head aloft, underneath which is the significant motto: "Vigilantia praestat," or "Watchfulness excels".

Others have two, and still others, three cocks on their coat of arms with the motto: "Semper vigilans," "Always on the alert."

The coat of arms of the Cox family of Bermuda was similar to the others, and carried the motto: "Prodesse Quam Conspici". The broad translation is: "Go, seek someone who is worthy to be taken into our family".

One of the earliest accounts of the family in England is found

in the pedigree of Walter Cokkes de Chelworth, or Walter Le Cock, as the name is sometimes spelled, who lived in the County of Kent, about 1250, and who appears to have been a lineal descendant of Walter de Chelworth who was perhaps the original Le Coq who came over from France with William the Conqueror.

The name, under one or another of its numerous variants, appears a little later in nearly all of the counties in the vicinity of London, notably in that of Hertfordshire, and by the close of the sixteenth century it was well known in every quarter of the United Kingdom. It included "all sorts and conditions of men". During the reigns of Henry VIII, Elizabeth, Mary, and James I, several of its members were connected with the royal household. Others, not directly related to the nobility, were scarcely less prominent. Among them were merchant princes and rovers of the sea, country gentlemen and men of war, members of the learned professions, and, in addition, a great multitude of the same name and blood, not less worthy, though unknown to fame.

It is not known whether the Joseph Cox ancestors became Quakers before or after coming to America. The Religious Society of Friends, otherwise known as Quakers, originated in England, through the preaching of George Fox, about 1648.

Thomas Cox, who was described in a record dated 1685 as a "citizen and vinter, of London", executed a will in 1709, probated in 1711, left to his son Thomas "two tenements lately built in the Burying Ground of the people called Quakers". To the same son, he left 800 of his 920 acres of land in Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania, in trust for his six children, and to his son, John, 400 acres in the County of Gloucester, Province of West Jersey.

On principle the Quakers were opposed to war, and thus it happened that those who kept the faith refused to be drawn into the Revolutionary struggle, but this did not always prevent their children from taking an active part in the cause of the colonies, and the rosters of the Continental army contain the names of many of the Cox family who were of Quaker birth. There is some reason to believe that many more were silent sympathizers with the struggle for independence, and that they did not entirely withhold their support from the American government, although they continued in the list of non-combatants.

The Quaker element in the family is large and widely distributed. From the older settlements in Pennsylvania the trend has been southward and westward. Prior to the Revolution the family began to swarm into Maryland, Virginia and North Carolina, and still later, from these states westward across the United States to the Pacific slope where the name is almost as common as in the localities where it was first known.

Not all of the descendants of those who wore the Quaker garb are thus distinguished now, nor have all adhered to the faith of their forebears. But of the many throughout the country, who bear the Cox name, whether identified with the Society of Friends or not, a large proportion are unquestionably of Quaker origin.

The foregoing are selected paragraphs, with some slight changes, from "The Cox Family in America", published in 1912 by Henry Miller Cox.

J O S E P H C O X

Ancestors and Descendants

The Joseph Cox branch of the Cox family had its beginning in the United States in 1708, when John and Rachel Cox lately from England, probably London, were known to be living in New Castle County, Delaware. Shortly thereafter they appeared in the records of the Quaker Churches in Chester and York Counties, Pennsylvania. It is thought that this John Cox was a son of Thomas Cox, a wine merchant of London, but this has not been proved. Thomas Cox of London had extensive landed interests in Pennsylvania and New Jersey. His will, admitted to probate in 1711, devised eight hundred acres of land in the vicinity of Philadelphia to one of his sons, and four hundred acres on the opposite side of the Delaware River, in New Jersey, to his other son. Thomas Cox was known to be a Quaker, and since John, Thomas and Richard were all Quakers, and their names appeared in the Quaker records of Pennsylvania about this time, it is assumed that they were sons of Thomas.

The records of Thomas and Richard Cox, so far as they are known, are fully reported in "The Cox Family in America" published in 1912 by Henry Miller Cox. This book is now out of print but copies may be found in the Library of the United States in Washington, D. C., and in other libraries in the larger cities of the country.

John Cox and his wife Rachel had eight children of record. There may have been others whose names have not been found. The known children are listed in the first John Cox family in the pages following.

John Cox, (2) thought to be a son of the first John Cox, was one of the early settlers in Warrington, now in Huntington Township, York County, Pennsylvania. Nearly all of the Quaker marriages in that locality, at that time, were performed at the home of John Cox. It appears that the first Quaker Church was established in that community about 1750. John Cox was probably one of the Quaker leaders and no doubt his home was used as a meeting house until the first church building was erected.

Records of ten of the children of John Cox (2) have been found, but it is said that there were actually fifteen of which Solomon Cox (19) was the youngest. The children of the second John Cox and his wife Mary are listed in the pages following. For a more detailed account of these children, and their descendants, see "The Cox Family in America" mentioned previously.

Solomon Cox (19), son of John Cox (2) and Mary, was born in 1745. His wife was Naomi (Amy) Hussey. Among their children were twins, Solomon and Martha, born about 1767. The twin Solomon, who married Martha (or Mary) Dixon about 1787, was the father of Joseph Cox (35), the principal of this story. The records of Joseph Cox are fairly easy to follow, and from his time on existing documents have been checked for accurate data. Joseph Cox was

born September 13, 1789, in Virginia.

The connection between Solomon Cox, father of Joseph, and the earlier Cox families just mentioned, was made through the diary or journal of Jehu Cox (33). Jehu Cox, born in 1803, was a nephew of Solomon Cox (21), and a first cousin of Joseph.

In Jehu's journal, quoted in full elsewhere in these pages, he mentions "sealings" for Joseph Cox and Amy Baker Cox, his wife. He does not definitely establish the relationship of first cousin to Joseph but the Mormons, of which Jehu was a member, held these religious rites principally for close relatives. Jehu's list of sealings and baptisms of relatives he supposed dead is a part of the official records of the Mormon Church in Salt Lake City, Utah. It is fortunate for those of us who are interested that the Quakers and the Mormons kept complete records of their members, and that they are available to us.

Solomon Cox, father of Joseph, was born between 1761 and 1769. This is established by the United States census lists of 1830 and 1840. In 1830 Solomon was living in Ray County, Missouri, near what is now the city of Richmond, and he gave his age that year as between 70 and 80. This would place the year of his birth between 1761 and 1769. The only Solomon Cox on record who would fit into these birth years is Solomon (21), son of Solomon (19), who was born in 1767.

Not only the written records, but the memories of the older living members of the family also, verify that Joseph was the son of Solomon. Jehu Cox mentions his uncle Solomon, and his other uncles and aunts who were the children of the first Solomon in this line; and he also lists Joseph, whom we know was not Jehu's uncle or his brother, and Amy Baker Cox, Joseph's wife, so the only conclusion to be reached is that Jehu and Joseph were first cousins.

Establishing that the first Solomon Cox was the son of the second John Cox was somewhat more difficult. In Jehu's journal he has written that his grandfather was Solomon, and that his great grandfather was also Solomon. This statement regarding his great grandfather has been proved in error by Mr. David A. Richardson of Salt Lake City Utah, a Cox descendant on both sides of his family. His reasoning is quite logical, and it is unlikely that many of the family will disagree.

Jehu Cox wrote that he lived with his grandfather for three years. Jehu was eleven years of age when he went to live with his grandfather Solomon (19), and it is not too unusual that he would not have learned the name of his great grandfather. He thought he remembered it to be Solomon, but he wrote his diary many years later at about age 74 and his memory must have been faulty. Mr. Richardson has prepared a lengthy and expensive work on the Jehu Cox line, and he is definitely convinced that Jehu was mistaken, unless the ancestor in question was named John Solomon Cox or Solomon John Cox.

Following Mr. Richardson's line of proof, we find that Jehu Cox wrote that his aunt Martha Cox, (twin sister of Solomon (21)), married Samuel Cox. Hinshaw's "Encyclopedia of American Quaker Genealogy", page 381, shows that this same Martha Cox was disowned

by the Quakers because of her marriage to her first cousin whose name was also Cox. The given name of the groom was not listed. Since her husband was not disowned at the same time, for the same infraction, the logical assumption is that he had previously been disowned, or else had never been a member of the Quakers. The latter is highly improbable because Cane Creek, N. C., where this penalty was invoked, was settled by Quakers from Pennsylvania, and all of the Cox family, at one time or another, were members of the Quaker Society.

There was a Samuel Cox and his father disowned eight years earlier for militant activities, and this Samuel was the son of Samuel who was the son of John and Mary Cox. Now if this Samuel who was disowned by the Quakers eight years earlier was the same Samuel who married Martha, daughter of Solomon and Naomi Hussey Cox, he did marry his first cousin. Solomon Cox, father of Martha, and John Cox, father of Samuel, were brothers. Marriages of first cousins were not unusual in those days but the Quakers frowned upon them and would not permit them within the Society.

In view of the foregoing, it can only be concluded that Jehu Cox was mistaken when he wrote that his great grandfather's name was Solomon. Genealogists who have spent many hours working on the family tree believe the name was John.

It is interesting to note that Naomi (Amy and Namy were also used for Naomi) Hussey, wife of the first Solomon Cox, was a daughter of Christopher Hussey and Ann Garretson Hussey, and that Ann Garretson was a daughter of Casparus Garretson and Ann Cox Garretson. Ann Cox was a daughter of the first John Cox. It appears, then, that Solomon Cox and Naomi Hussey were distant cousins, both descended from the first John Cox.

Solomon Cox, father of Joseph, is said to have left North Carolina with his family shortly after the Revolutionary War, and to have moved to Virginia. Joseph gave his birth state as Virginia in the United States census of 1850. From Virginia the family moved to Kentucky about 1807, and then to Ross County, Ohio, where they settled near the town of Chillicothe. These travels are paralleled in Jehu's journal, so it appears that all of the families traveled together, or followed one another from year to year. The pioneers were all moving westward in those days, and many other families trace their ancestors in the same paths.

According to Jehu's diary his family moved to Ross County, Ohio, in 1809, and it is fairly certain that Joseph's branch of the family reached there a year or so earlier. There were also other Cox families in Ross County, no doubt related in some way to all others of the same name, but the relationship has not been established. There are many Cox marriages on record in Chillicothe, Ohio, among them that of Joseph Cox and Amy Baker who were married September 15, 1808, on Amy's sixteenth birthday.

Amy Baker was from a pioneer Ross County family. Her father is said to have operated a large pottery in Chillicothe, Ohio, and her uncle Jacob Baker operated a brewery.

In the Peecher cemetery, near Londonderry, not far from Chillicothe, Ohio, there are many Cox graves bearing dates of about this time. The Cox families were then closely associated with the Dixon



families, also from North Carolina. There were many intermarriages in these two families. The alliance continued even into Missouri, probably because they were all more or less related by the time they started westward from Ohio. Solomon's first wife was Martha Dixon, and Solomon's daughter Rebecca married Isaac Dixon.

Shortly after March, 1818, the families of Solomon and Joseph took to their covered wagons again and began another westward journey. From the records available it appears that besides Solomon and Joseph this caravan consisted of Solomon's sons Nathan and Stephen, his daughter Michael and her husband William Wilkerson, and his daughter Rebecca and her husband Isaac Dixon. Of course they were accompanied by their children, their livestock and whatever other material possessions they were able to carry with them.

Perhaps they knew where they were going. It was customary then to send a scout on ahead to survey the territory that was being considered, and it may be that such a scout had gone to Missouri several months before and had brought or sent back good reports on the area. At any rate, the families arrived in Johnson County, (now Lafayette) Missouri, the latter part of the year 1818. A short time later they built a raft and floated their possessions across the Missouri River to Bluffton, which was then the county seat of Ray County. Settlements of a permanent nature were made near where Richmond now is, and the families became a part of that pioneer community. Missouri was not yet a state, and Ray County extended all the way to the Iowa line on the north.

The beginnings of Ray County were recently described in a talk by Louise Darneal of Richmond as follows: "When the first settlements were made in Ray County, the country was a wilderness. Nature was unsubdued. The prairies were covered with rank grass. The Indian's bark canoe floated on the streams. Wild honey was in the hollows of the trees, and a man's life in the hollow of his hand.

"The primeval forests were inhabited by the panther, bear, wolf, fox, bison, elk, deer and wild turkeys. The streams were full of fish. Hunting and trapping and the gathering of wild honey were profitable employments. The skins of the wild animals afforded raiment for the body, their flesh food.

"People living fifteen to forty miles apart were considered neighbors.

"While we know that some of the settlers came up the Missouri River--others to Lexington and then across the river--the first settlers recorded within the boundaries came in the summer of 1815. The pioneers' old fashioned wagons, covered with white canvas, halted on the east bank of Crooked River, not far above its mouth. The stream was swollen and how to cross was a problem.

"Trees were felled, a raft made and the party, swimming their horses, passed safely to the other shore and went into camp.

"The first schoolhouse was built on Ogg's branch. The logs were unhewn, the roof rough boards and the seats were puncheons, set on pegs and the writing desks were the same material; the floors were dirt. It was a subscription school, started in 1819, and the tuition was paid in calves, buckskins and wild honey."

If, at it appears, Solomon's first wife Martha died before he left Virginia, and he married Mary Williams in Ross County, Ohio in 1812, Mary must have died in Ray County, Missouri. Solomon married again on December 20, 1831, at the age of 64. He was listed as unmarried in the census of 1830. This time he married Temperance Hendricks. She was called "Tempra" and "Tempa", and frequently signed her name the same way, according to some old real estate deeds.

It is interesting to speculate on what members of his family were living with Solomon at the time of the 1830 census. He listed two males between 10 and 15 years of age. One of these was probably Stephen who would have been 14 at the time, but there is no identification of the other. He listed one male between 15 and 20 years old, who likewise escapes identification. There was also one female between 15 and 20 years old, whose identity is unknown. It was not unusual at that time for children to live with their uncles and aunts, and frequently with their grandparents, but Joseph's children were all at his home, and were accounted for in that census. The unknown persons may well have been other children of Solomon.

Also with Solomon in 1830 was one male between the ages of 90 and 100, and one female between 80 and 90. Could this couple have been Solomon's father and mother? It seems likely, but there is no proof.

In the Ray County records are many references to the Cox clan of that time. There was an Isaac Cox who married Susan Reece in 1832, a Docia Ann Cox who married Thomas Brown in 1839, and a William Cox who married Ruthy Dixon. These may have been children of Solomon. Joseph's children had begun to marry about this time. Mary Cox and Allen P. Lile were married in 1833, and Solomon B. Cox and Polly Lile had been married in 1831. Stephen Cox and Elizabeth Dowell applied for their marriage papers in 1836.

Rebecca Cox, believed to be a sister of Joseph, and Isaac Dixon were married in Chillicothe, Ohio, on November 22, 1812, and the fact that they accompanied the Cox families to Missouri seems to be borne out by the Ray County records. On February 9, 1831 Joseph Cox made application for letters of administration on the estate of Isaac Dixon; Solomon Cox, Sr., having waived his right to administer the estate. The records refer to Solomon Cox, Sr., because by this time Solomon B. Cox, son of Joseph, was grown and married, and was undoubtedly being confused with his grandfather.

In November 1831, the records show that Lydia and Michel Dixon, children of Isaac Dixon, chose Joseph Cox as the guardian. They were permitted to make a choice as they were over 14 years of age. The court then appointed Joseph guardian of the children under 14: Jesse, Polly, Joseph and Solomon. Several of these children appear to have been named for their Cox relatives. Apparently their mother, Rebecca, was dead at the time as she is not mentioned in the court proceedings.

Sad times must have fallen on the Dixon children between November 1831 and February 1832, for on the latter date the court ordered Joseph Cox to pay Long & Mitchell \$14.00 for three coffins furnished by them to the Dixon family. Just what members of the family had passed on is not made clear. It is probably safe to say, however, that there are descendants of Rebecca Cox Dixon, sister of Joseph, living in Ray County today.



Joseph Cox and Amy Baker Cox bought and sold several farms in Ray and Carroll Counties during the time they lived in Ray. The home place, so far as is known, was about two miles north of what is now Richmond and consisted of about 400 acres. A man who had lived on the home place for more than 50 years furnished this information just a few years ago. He reported also that the Cox family were of the Quaker faith when they came to Ray County.

An early history of Ray County states that in 1826 the county commissioners were required to meet at the home of Joseph Cox.

On May 11, 1834, Joseph Cox came into the Ray County Court and resigned as guardian of the Dixon children. This was to be expected as he was preparing to move his family to Livingston County.

The story is that a wandering band of Indians came through Ray County and stole one of Joseph's horses. He tracked them into the next county, Livingston, and recovered his horse near Springhill. He was attracted to the rough terrain of that part of the county, and liked it so well that he decided to move there. He and his sons went back near the spot he had selected and built cabins and soon moved their families. Joseph is said to have built his first cabin in Livingston County in 1832, but it is thought that he did not move his family until considerably later. The log house is still standing a few miles north of Chillicothe, Mo., and is now owned by Manford Cox, a descendant of Joseph.

Although both Solomon B., and Mary, children of Joseph and Amy, were now married, it appears that they also moved to Livingston with other members of the family.

Actually Joseph and his family considered themselves to be moving to another part of Ray County, no doubt, as Livingston County was not created until January 6, 1837. The Missouri Legislature established the county on that date, and the first term of the county court was held at the home of Joseph Cox, in Medicine Creek township, on April 6, 1837. A "History of Livingston County" published in 1886, sets out these facts as well as many of those following.

Joseph Cox was appointed one of the first three county judges. Solomon Cox was one of the first road commissioners, and John Cox was one of the first jury members in the county.

The first term of the circuit court was also held at Joseph's house and this was on July 3, 1837. At this term, according to the history mentioned above, Joseph and Amy boarded the judge, jury, litigants, lawyers and witnesses free of charge, setting log tables in the shade of the trees near his cabin, and loading them with corn pone, butter and venison as well as other food common to the pioneer life. This free hotel service was repeated at the November, 1837, term.

In the early days of Missouri all able-bodied men between the ages of 18 and 45 were required to organize into military groups, choose officers, and drill and execute military maneuvers in order to be prepared for attacks by Indians or outlaws. Joseph Cox was chosen a commanding officer and given the title of colonel. It was said that Colonel Joseph Cox made a very imposing appearance in his full regimental uniform, mounted on a spirited war horse.



According to Dr. Bertha Booth, Caldwell County historian, the Black Hawk War broke out in 1832 in Illinois and Missouri companies were formed to keep the warring Indians out of Missouri. However, frequent rumors spread all over western Missouri that the Iowa Indians were moving south. The few settlers in the northern part of the state, all of which was then Ray County, were in serious danger, because they were few and far apart. Many moved back south nearer the Missouri River where there were more settlers and greater protection. The trouble soon cleared up when a scouting party marched to the Iowa line and found no signs of Indians on the war path.

The so-called Heatherly War, in which Joseph Cox was said to have been active in helping protect the settlers, arose in 1836. This was not really a war but a succession of incidents which in the aggregate the early settlers of Livingston, Daviess, Carroll and Caldwell Counties called the Heatherly War. A family by that name was responsible for the trouble.

The Heatherly family had come from Kentucky about 1830 and had settled in what is now Grundy County. They had brought a bad reputation with them and they proceeded to live up to it by soon becoming known as a gang of horse thieves or worse. They were headed by the father and mother, who are credited with being the real instigators of the evil deeds. Many wild characters joined their gang. In the fall of 1836, they are said to have killed two men who had wagons, horses and other property which the gang wanted. The Heatherlys threw the bodies into the river, and then made excuses to the other settlers who knew that the two men had passed through that part of the country with their possessions. As a blind for their crime, the gang said that the murder and robbery was the work of unfriendly Indians. There were Sacs and Iowa Indians near at hand as they had come down to Grand River for their annual hunt. They were peaceful Indians, however.

The gang spread the false news of the Indian attack quickly. They said the Indians were stealing, murdering and burning cabins. The settlers, still nervous over the Black Hawk War, believed the reports. In all the surrounding counties preparations were made against an Indian attack. Block houses were built in some places; in Caldwell County the Mormons united with the other settlers and began to drill the militia at Far West and Salem. The Caldwell County militia became a part of the troops of General Ben Thompson of Ray County. Possibly the Livingston County troops were also in this company. The combined troops of several counties made a tour of the Grand River territory where the Indians were and found them peaceful. So the fear of the Indians ended.

Little by little, suspicion turned on the Heatherly gang, and away from the Indians. The gang was finally captured and brought to trial for murder and robbery. Their fate is not definitely known; some say they were sent to the penitentiary, and others say they were released and voluntarily left the counties fearing the consequences if they stayed.

Joseph Cox was the first settler in what is known as Chilli-cothe township, Livingston County, today, and the history gives the date as 1833. Solomon, his father, settled a few miles east of Jos-

eph on Medicine Creek and operated a mill there, and Joseph's brothers and sons all settled near their father and grandfather. Practically all of the land in the county in the area north of what is now the city of Chillicothe has been held, at one time or another, by some member of the Cox family.

In August 1837, the county court in session at the home of Joseph Cox, began to plan the town which became the county seat. One John Graves was appointed to lay off the lots and plat the town. One wonders if this was the same John Graves who officiated at the marriage of Joseph Cox and Amy Baker in Chillicothe, Ohio in 1808. The town was named Chillicothe, for the town of the same name in Ross County, Ohio, from which many of these pioneers had come. Names of towns, like given names in families, seem to be handed down from generation to generation. Near Chillicothe, Ohio, is a village called Richmondale where some of these families lived. A few of the families settled later at what is now Richmond, Indiana, and others pressed on to what is now Richmond, Missouri.

The author of the early history of Livingston County wrote: "It would hardly be possible to write a history of this portion of Missouri without mentioning in its pages the Cox family, for it is a widely known, widely distributed family, and its representatives, wherever they reside, are generally people of more or less consideration or prominence. Indeed, some of its members have been so closely associated with Livingston County from a pioneer day that their mention necessitates a history of the county."

Abel Cox, son of Joseph, served as county clerk at one time, and in 1864-65 was presiding judge of Livingston County.

It is said in the history that Joseph Cox was a soldier in the Heatherly and Mormon wars. Since Joseph's cousin Jehu became a Mormon in 1838, while living in Missouri, it seems in order to speculate on whether Joseph and Jehu may have, at some time, fought each other. Chances are that neither knew the location of the other, however, as mail was very slow in those days and there was little contact between families separated for any great distance.

In Livingston County another child, Nica Jane, was born to Joseph and Amy. The older children married and established their own homes. This branch of the adventure-seeking Cox family seemed about to take roots in Livingston County. Some of them did, but the area became rather thickly populated within the next twenty years or so, and Joseph and Amy apparently began to feel crowded. They looked again toward the west.

How they became interested in Texas is unknown. Solomon B. Cox, their son, had married Martha Cox in 1848 or about that time. She was a daughter of Fleming Trigg Cox, originally from Kentucky, but an early resident of Bell County, Texas. No doubt one family influenced the other in this move. So far as is known, they were not related to each other.

Joseph and Amy and their sons, John and Solomon B., and their daughter Malinda Cox Shriber, and all their families set out for Texas in late 1851. They sold their land in Livingston County in September and October of that year, some of it to Abel and Isom, other sons of Joseph and Amy.



Joseph's father, Solomon, apparently had died in the meantime. He was not reported in the 1850 census. His burial place is unknown. It is likely that it is in Livingston County, as he and "Tempra" were residents there at the time of the 1840 census. The last trace of them in the records is the sale of a farm of 160 acres in Rich Hill township on October 4, 1844.

Joseph and his caravan arrived in Bell County, Texas, in the latter part of 1851 and it appears that each family established a home on land purchased, or possibly homesteaded. Coryell County was established from a part of Bell County later on and the records indicate that Joseph lived for a time in the new county. However his history is more closely tied to Bell County.

The original Joseph Cox farm of about 600 acres lies slightly north and west of Nolanville, Texas. Nolanville is between Belton and Killeen on the main highway. Part of the farm has been in the family until just recently, having been owned by Thomas Jefferson Cox, a grandson of Joseph. When Joseph sold out, his son Solomon B. Cox bought 200 acres and his son John bought 213 acres. John's farm passed on to his son, Thomas Jefferson Cox. With the recent extension of the Fort Hood government reservation the old farm was taken over and Thomas Jefferson Cox gave up some 1200 acres.

When visited in April 1954, Thomas Jefferson Cox had just left the home place and moved to a smaller farm just at the edge of Nolanville. He was 89 at the time and seemed to be in very good health. His hobby was collecting rocks of various kinds and he was spending a large part of his time in this pleasant manner. His wife was quite ill, and unable to be up, and they had a colored couple living on the place and looking after them. His wife passed away January 29, 1955.

Hugh Martin Cox, brother of Thomas Jefferson Cox, was also visited in 1954 in Killeen, Texas. He was 90 years of age and was working every day at various odd jobs. He too seemed to be in good health, but his wife was not well. She passed on in October 1954. The "Belton Journal" of July 7, 1955 reports an Old Fiddlers' contest in which Hugh Martin Cox was the oldest fiddler. He was 91 at the time. His selections were "Gun Boats to Georgia" and "Down-fall of Hitler". He stated that his fiddle dated back to 1734.

When Joseph and Amy Cox moved to Texas in 1851, Nica Jane was the only one of their children still at home. She was 17 at the time. Joseph's wife, Amy, died in April 1855, not quite four years after their long move. There was no community burying ground at the time and she was buried on the home place. Miss Emma Normand, who lived in the community for several years and who knew many of the descendants of Joseph Cox, has written this description of Amy's grave:

"Her grave is the only one there. It is near a little ravine in what we used to call the 'upper field', and near the old house place. There was a slight depression there, rather than a mound, after fifty years, and a black haw tree was growing in it. I think the tree has died; but my father placed some stones, just native stones, at what we supposed were the head and the foot of the grave, and at one time my mother had the tall grass and small bushes cleared from around it. There was a small plum thicket near by."



Thomas Jefferson Cox said that at one time he had a rail fence built around Amy's grave, but that a prairie fire destroyed it. He doubted that anyone knew the exact location now since it is all a part of Fort Hood.

Joseph lived on in Bell County until September 1869, when he died. While letters of administration on his estate were filed in Bell County, his grandsons say that he died in Lampasas, the next county west. His granddaughter, Hulda Cox Childers, lived in Lampasas County, and a grandson, John W. Cox, also lived there. It is said that Solomon B. Cox, Joseph's son, went over to the funeral and came back riding Joseph's "big black horse". It may be that Joseph had gone over to visit his grandchildren, via horseback, and died during the visit.

Joseph's burial place is still being sought, and no one thus far contacted seems to know where it is.

Solomon B., John, Malinda and Nica Jane, the children who accompanied Joseph and Amy to Texas, all married before or after their arrival in that state, and many of their descendants are still in the area of Bell County, as well as in other parts of the state. Names and dates, so far as known, are in other pages of this book.

Joseph and Amy had three other sons whose complete histories have not been found. Zeamri was born October 30, 1820, during the time his parents lived in Ray County, Missouri. No further record of his existence appears in any of the documents consulted, and it is therefore assumed that he died at an early age.

Hiram Washington Cox, born January 26, 1824, likewise does not appear in any of the records. Rumor has it that he moved to Texas with the family, and that he went to old Mexico some time later. There may be some basis for the Mexico story as two of his grand-nephews on the Lile side of the family were reported to have had a gold mine in Mexico in 1905. Perhaps Hiram staked out the first claim. He was mentioned as a surviving son in the letters of administration on Joseph's estate, so it appears that there are some records of his life at some yet undiscovered place.

William Hugh Cox, born May 26, 1830, was said to have lived in Caldwell County, Missouri, and is thought to have descendants there. No reply has been received from those thought to be related to his family. The census records of 1860 are the only leads on this family thus far, and these are from Livingston County. William Hugh Cox was not mentioned in the Joseph Cox letters of administration, but an old history of Livingston County names him as a survivor at the time of Joseph's death.

Joseph's story may not have been much different from that of any other pioneer of his time. Accumulating the facts, over the past twenty years, and setting them down for our own and other generations has been a challenging and fascinating task, however, and it is hoped that this effort may kindle an interest in other members of the family to seek out what is still missing so that the work may be complete.

J E H U C O X (33) J O U R N A L

The Cox family connections beyond Solomon Cox, father of Joseph Cox, are based on the journal of Jehu Cox, a first cousin of Joseph. The journal was written in Jehu Cox's declining years, primarily for religious purposes in keeping with the beliefs of the Mormons, and it is now in the possession of the David A. Richardson family of Salt Lake City, Utah, descendants of the Jehu Cox branch of the family.

The original journal is written in old-fashioned script longhand. It is thought that it was written about 1877, when Jehu was 74 years old. In order to make the diary a bit easier to read present day spelling and punctuation have been substituted where needed. The meaning has not been changed in any way, but in cases where subject matter and words did not seem to be clear they have been enclosed in parenthesis. The journal follows:

"Jehu Cox, history of my forefathers to the best of my memory. My great grandfather, his name was Solomon Cox, he lived in the state of Pennsylvania when my grandfather was born. My grandfather was the youngest of fifteen children, and his name was Solomon after his father. My grandfather married Amy Hussey and lived in Virginia, and raised a family of 10 children (and the first child) and the last died with her tenth child; her name was Mary, she married a man his name was Thomas Mahan. My grandfather's family was 5 sons and 5 daughters. My uncle's names were Solomon and Absalom and Christopher and Thomas, who is my father, and Steven. My aunt's names were Martha and Amy and Mary and Ruthy, the other I have forgot. (Ann.)

"Jehu Cox, the son of Thomas Cox, was born in the state of Kentucky, Knox County, September the 5th, 1803. When I was three weeks old my father moved to Green River in the state of Kentucky, and when I was 9 months old my right hand was burnt, and when I was 6 years old in the year 1809, my father moved to the state of Ohio, to Salt Creek which runs in to the Scioto, then called Ross County, 24 miles east of Chillicothe. When I was 11 years old I lived with my grandfather Solomon Cox 3 years and when I was 15 years old in 1818 my father moved to the state of Indiana, Monroe County, Bloomington the county seat. In 1820 father moved 12 miles east of Bloomington on Salt Creek, the waters of (Wabash) river, and there I got acquainted with Sarah Pyle and we was married January 13, 1824.

"Here I made a farm and we lived 4 years and we had 3 children - Rosanah, Edward and Thomas. Edward and Thomas died and we were sick every year and we thought that we would move, so in December 1827 we moved to Wabash, Warren County, Indiana, where Henderson Cox was born November the 6th, 1829, and in 1830 (we) moved with my father-in-law to Vermillion River, Vermillion County, state of Illinois, where we were all sick. Here we made a farm and raised a crop. Here was the milk sickness and I lost while at this place 5 head of horses and a good many cattle. And in 1831 (we) moved to Indiana, Putnam County, Greencastle the county seat, and bought 80 acres of land and opened

a farm in the heaviest of timber and lived here 4 years where I had my health but my wife was sick most of the time. Here Sarah Cox was born February 28, 1832, and Mary Jane Cox was born September 19, 1833, and Elias Cox was born January 15, 1835.

"I told my wife that we would move until we could find a healthy place, so we started in 1835 and went to the state of Missouri on the Ozark Mountain in Crawford County where (we made) a farm and we all had good health, and here Rachel Cox was born March 17, 1836, and Jehu Cox was born June 15, 1837, and here Isiah Cox was born May 18, 1839.

"We embraced Mormonism. I was baptized on January 12, 1838 by Benjamin Clapp and your mother was baptized in February 1838 by Isaac Allread, and I was ordained elder under the hands of Benjamin Clapp and Isaac Allread, and in November, 1839, we moved to Adams County, Illinois, below Quincy, where I raised two crops, and here Lucnecy Cox was born in Adams County, Illinois, December 21, 1842, and was blest by Joseph Fielding, and when we were coming up Platte River to the (Valley) she was run over with a wagon and died June 15, 1848.

"Then I moved to Hancock County, Illinois, within three miles of Nauvoo, where Emmy Cox was born June 16, 1844, and here Nephi Cox was born in Hancock, Illinois, March 20, 1846, and was blest by Joseph Fielding, and died April 29, 1846.

"And here we lived 4 years, and in May the 20th, 1846, we left Nauvoo and came to (Pishey) and planted some corn, and then word came for all that wanted to come to the bluffs on the Missouri River and there the Mormon battalion was made up and Henderson Cox went in the Mormon battalion and in July 22, 1846 we stayed at what was called the point on the east of the Missouri River until the spring of 1847, and then moved to the west of the river 7 miles above winter quarters and made a crop and Br. Campbell's farm and here Joshua Cox was born in the Omaha country 7 miles above winter quarters, July 14, 1847, and died the same day.

"In the spring of 1848 we started for the mountains, we left the farms the 28th of April and went to winter quarters, and stayed there until the 18th of May and then went to the Horn River and stopped there until the 7th of June and then started up the (Platte River?) and about the 10th was appointed Captain of 10 in Br. (Haraman's) company by Br. Heber (Embel) and we landed where Salt Lake City now stands September 24, 1848.

"My ordinations: I was ordained elder by Benjamin Clapp and Isaac Allread February 1838, and was ordained a (saint) by Benjamin Clapp and Daniel D. Hunt January 18, 1851, and I was ordained a high priest and counsellor to Silas Richards by Edward Hunter and Willard Snow and Daniel Spencer, and since I have lived in (Sanpet Co.) at Fairview, I have been counselor to three bishops: James Jones and Andrew Peterson and Amasa Fulker, and am president of the high priest forum in Fairview,

and am vice president of the United order in Fairview (Utah).

"I have two great uncles by the names of Christopher Hussey and Stephen Hussey. If you should hear the name of Hussey you can inquire. They lived in Virginia. Keep inquiring for all of our relations for they will come on after while and will want to find their friends. Here are some of my cousins, I want work done for them: James Johnson, Alfred Johnson, Sadie Johnson, (her work is done) Carnils Cox and his wife, Katy Jackson, William Cox and his wife Lottie Jackson, John King and Delilia Cox his wife. These were all born in the United States, some older than I am and some 4 years younger. The youngest is 24 now, Geo. Foldwell and Amy Cox his wife."

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The above concludes the journal, but there are some additional notes which appear to be records of the Mormon Church. They are in two different scripts, one of which is Jehu's, and the other is ~~not~~ known, as follows:

"Jehu Cox attended to the sealing (ordnance?) for my grandfather and grandmother Solomon Cox and Amy Hussey Cox - and my father and mother Thomas Cox and Rachel Carr Cox, and my uncle Samuel Cox and Martha Cox; and have been baptized for my brother Solomon Cox and my uncle Solomon Cox and uncle Absalom Cox and uncle Christopher Cox and uncle Stephen Cox and my grandfather Thomas Carr and uncle Benjamin Carr and uncle Thomas Carr."

"Sealing:

Joseph Cox and Amy Baker Cox.
Thomas Elison and Aled Cox Elison.
William Wilshan and Michael Cox.
Isaac Dixon and Rebecky Cox."



S T R U C T U R E

The ancestors of Joseph Cox begin with the earliest known - John Cox (1) - and follow in order to Joseph Cox.

Following Joseph Cox is his family, beginning with the eldest - Solomon B. Cox. The complete families and descendants of the eleven children of Joseph, so far as known, follow in chronological order.

The numbers in parentheses, either before or after the various names, have no orderly significance. They are only for the purpose of helping to identify members of the family appearing in more than one section of the book.

E R R A T A

Be it remembered that any work of this kind is subject to a great variety of errors.

The written records consulted may not always be correct, and the memories of individuals are not infallible.

Even the most diligent proof reader may overlook the obvious.

It is hoped that, even with errors, this compilation may be a source of pride and pleasure to the Joseph Cox descendants.

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I N A P P R E C I A T I O N

It has been gratifying indeed to have found so many amateur genealogists who have been so very willing to give of their time and family histories to make this ambition a reality.

All of the correspondents are due the appreciation of the family, and two in particular deserve special recognition.

Miss Emma Normand, Huntsville, Texas, prepared and submitted practically all of the data on the Texas branch of the family.

Mr. David A. Richardson, Salt Lake City, Utah, furnished all of the information on his ancestor, Jehu Cox, and most of the facts linking Joseph Cox to the Jehu Cox line.

Other correspondents, to whom we are indebted for their cooperation in identifying the various lines of the Joseph Cox family, are listed below.

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 Mrs. A. E. Cox, Chillicothe, Mo.
 Mr. Camet B. Cox, Independence, Va.
 Mrs. Sterling P. Cox, Chillicothe, Mo.
 Mr. William L. Cox, Chillicothe, Mo.
 Mr. Harry J. Dixon, Londonderry, Ohio.
 Mr. Hiram K. W. Dixon, Milan, Mich.
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A N C E S T O R S A N D F A M I L Y

O F

J O S E P H C O X



J O H N C O X (1)

Thought to have been a son of Thomas Cox of London. There are some facts indicating that John Cox was probably born in Drayton, Berkshire, England.

John Cox and his wife Rachel arrived in New Castle County, Delaware, in 1708, apparently from England.

"The Cox Family in America" suggests that he had brothers Thomas and Richard. Possibly there were others.

Children of John and Rachel Cox:

- (2) John. Birthdate unknown. Married Mary _____. May have married Hannah Jenkins first, about 1720.
- (3) Richard. Married Margaret Potts, March 26, 1712.
- (4) Sarah. Married Thomas Leach, 1712.
- (5) Joseph.
- (6) William. Married Katherine Kinkey. They had a son, Solomon, who married Ruth _____. Quaker records indicate that this Solomon was received by the Quakers in Cane Creek, N. C., on October 6, 1753.
- (7) Ann. Married Casparus Garretson, 1713.
- (8) Thomas. Married (a) Elizabeth Fincher, 1722.
(b) Mary Cooke, 1730.
- (9) Amy. Married John Allen, 1719. John Allen was a witness to the will of William Cox (6), his brother-in-law.

There were possibly other children. Old records are not always complete.

J O H N C O X (2)

Son of John (1) and Rachel Cox.

Married Mary_____.

Lived in Kennett, Pa., York and Chester Counties, Pa.

See Page 249, "The Cox Family in America", 1912.

Jehu Cox (33) wrote that there were 15 children in the family of John and Mary Cox.

Children of John and Mary Cox:

- (10) Sarah. Born about 1721. Married Nicholas Wierman.
- (11) Benjamin. Born about 1723. Married Martha Garretson in October, 1751.
- (12) William. Born about 1725. Married Naomi Garretson in November, 1748.
- (13) Samuel. Born about 1727. Married Hannah Wierman on October 22, 1747. Their son, Samuel, married Martha Cox (20), daughter of Solomon Cox (19) and Amy Hussey Cox.
- (14) Naomi. Born September 27, 1729. Married William Wierman on June 8, 1753.
- (15) Thomas. Born about 1733. Married Martha (Jenkins?).
- (16) John. Born about 1735.
- (17) Margaret. Born about 1737. Married Mr. Spencer, 1777.
- (18) Mary. Born about 1739.
- (19) Solomon. Born about 1745. Married Naomi (Amy) Hussey about 1766.

The above are the children which are recorded in the Quaker records. Apparently there were five more. The records indicate that possibly four of them were Joseph, Hannah, Jacob and Dinah.

S O L O M O N C O X (19)

Son of John (2) and Mary _____ Cox.

Born about 1745, probably near Warrington, Pa.

Married Naomi (Amy) Hussey, about 1766. She was born February 29, 1742, in Warrington, Pa. She died in 1779.

This family moved from Pennsylvania to North Carolina, then to Virginia. Thought to have lived near Cane Creek, N. C., when most of the children were born.

Children of Solomon and Naomi Hussey Cox:

- (20) Martha. Born about 1767. Twin of Solomon. Married Samuel Cox, a cousin.
- (21) Solomon. Born about 1767. Twin of Martha. Married Martha or Mary Dixon.
- (22) Mary. Born 1769. Married Mr. Mahan or Mahon.
- (23) Ann.
- (24) Christopher. Born 1773.
- (25) Thomas. Born Dec. 5, 1775. Married Rachel Carr.
- (26) Absalom. Born 1777.
- (27) Stephen. Born 1779. Twin of Naomi.
- (28) Naomi. Born 1779. Twin of Stephen. Married Thomas McMahon.
- (29) Ruth. Birth date unknown. Married Joseph Johnson.

Thomas Cox (25) was the father of Jehu Cox (33) who wrote the journal appearing earlier in this book. Jehu Cox was born September 5, 1803 in Knox County, Kentucky, and died in 1893-94 in Fairview, Utah. Other children of Thomas Cox were Benjamin (30), Solomon (31), and Nathan (32).

S O L O M O N C O X (21)

Son of Solomon Cox (19) and Naomi Hussey Cox.

Born 1767 in North Carolina.

Married (a) Martha or Mary Dixon, about 1788.

(b) Mary Williams, on August 23, 1812, in Ross County, Ohio.

(c) Temperance Hendricks, on December 20, 1831, in Ray County, Missouri.

Children:

(35) Joseph Cox. Born Sept. 13, 1789 in Virginia.

(36) Stephen Cox. Born 1816, probably in Ohio; said to have been a half-brother of Joseph.

The following are thought to have been children of Solomon, but there is no definite proof:

(34) Nathan Cox. Born 1793 in Virginia. Reported in the Livingston County, Missouri, census of 1850, age 57. Wife, Lucy, age 58.

(37) Rebecca Cox. Born about 1794. Married Isaac Dixon in Ross County, Ohio, Nov. 22, 1812.

(38) Michel Cox. Born about 1798. Married William Wilkerson* in Ross County, Ohio, about 1818. There was an "aunt Michel" Wilkerson, age 82, living with the Solomon B. Cox family in Bell County, Texas, listed in the 1880 census.

(39) Aled Cox. Married Thomas Elison.

There were possibly other children of the first and second marriage of Solomon Cox. The 1830 census of Ray County, Missouri, lists two males 10-15 years old, one male 15-20 years old (Stephen?), one female 15-20 years old, all of whom may or may not have been members of his family. His wife is not listed in this census, so it appears that she had died. The 1840 census of Livingston County, Missouri, lists a Solomon Cox, Jr., living near Solomon Cox, Sr., and he was possibly another son of Solomon Cox, Sr.

From old Quaker records: "Lost Creek, Jefferson County, Tenn., Jan. 31, 1807. Solomon Cox and ch. (s. Joseph) received on certificate from Cane Creek Monthly Meeting, North Carolina, dated December 6, 1806."

* Name given "Wilkinson" in 1850 census.

S T E P H E N C O X (36)

Son of Solomon (21) and Mary Williams (?) Cox.

Born 1816, in Ross County, Ohio.

Married Elizabeth Dowell, Ray County, Missouri, May 29, 1836.
She was born in North Carolina.

Children:

- (40) James W. Born 1837.
- (41) Elisa J. " 1839.
- (42) Asriah. " 1843.
- (43) Mary E. " 1845.
- (44) George W. " 1847.
- (45) William J. " 1849.
- (46) Penelope. " 1852.
- (47) Stephen. " 1853.
- (48) Liddy. " 1857.

The Stephen Cox family of Livingston County, Missouri, was reported in the census of 1840, and those of 1850 and 1860.

No descendant of this family has been located, but it appears that the family moved to Texas sometime after 1860. The Bell County, Texas census of 1870 gives this listing:

Stephen Cox,	age	57,	born	Ohio.
Elizabeth,	"	50,	born	Tenn.
William,	"	20,	"	Mo.
Ellen,	"	18,	"	Mo. (Penelope?)
Stephen,	"	16,	"	Iowa.
Liddy,	"	13,	"	Iowa.
Matilda,	"	8,	"	Mo.

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J O S E P H C O X (35)

Son of Solomon (21) and Martha or Mary Dixon.

Born September 13, 1789, in Virginia. Some records report his birthplace as North Carolina, but in the census of 1850 he reported that he was born in Virginia. He died in September, 1869, in Lampasas County, Texas.

Married Amy Baker, in Chillicothe, Ohio, September 15, 1808. She was born in North Carolina, September 15, 1792. She died April 13, 1855, in Bell County, Texas.

<u>Children:</u>	<u>Birthdate:</u>	<u>Birth state:</u>
(49) Solomon B.	December 1, 1809	Ohio
(50) Mary	July 16, 1811	"
(51) John	September 28, 1813	"
(52) Isom	October 7, 1815	"
(53) Abel	March 19, 1818	"
(54) Zeamri	October 30, 1820	Missouri
(55) Malinda	October 10, 1822	"
(56) Hiram Washington	January 26, 1824	"
(57) Andy Baker	July 6, 1828	"
(58) William Hugh	May 26, 1830	"
(59) Nica Jane	July 12, 1834	"

There is some disagreement as to the spelling of two of the names of the children. Andy Baker Cox was probably named Andrew, and he gave that name when he bought his marriage license. The name on his tombstone, however, is Andy Baker Cox.

Nica Jane Cox has been reported as Nancy Jane and as Necy Jane. In the 1850 census her name is listed Nica Jane.



AMY BAKER (COX) FAMILY

These records have been handed down in the family, but their origin is uncertain. They are given merely as leads for those who may want to work on the genealogy of the Baker family.

It is said that Peter Baker and his three sons, George, Henry and Jacob, arrived in America from England in 1727.

Jacob Baker married Grace Billings. Her birth date is given as 1722.

Amos Baker, son of Jacob and Grace, was born April 8, 1756, and died July 6, 1850. He married Mary Prescott.

THEIR CHILDREN:

James Baker
Samuel L. Baker
Elizabeth Baker
Searissa Baker
Truman Baker
Anna Baker
Amy Baker.

In 1808 the Amos Baker family lived in Ross County, Ohio, near Chillicothe.

Amy Baker and Joseph Cox were married in Ross County on September 15, 1808.

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A chart of Amy Baker's paternal family tree, going back to 1450, is in existence. The location of only one copy is known to this writer.





Miss Emma Normand
Huntsville, Texas

An amateur genealogist of ability and experience who was very helpful in the collection and preparation of the genealogies of the Texas descendants of Joseph Cox. While not a member of the family, Miss Normand grew up as a neighbor of the Cox clan in Bell County. This, with her historical knowledge of that section of the state and her energetic efforts in assembling the necessary data has made her work of inestimable value not only to the author but to all of the Cox family in Texas.

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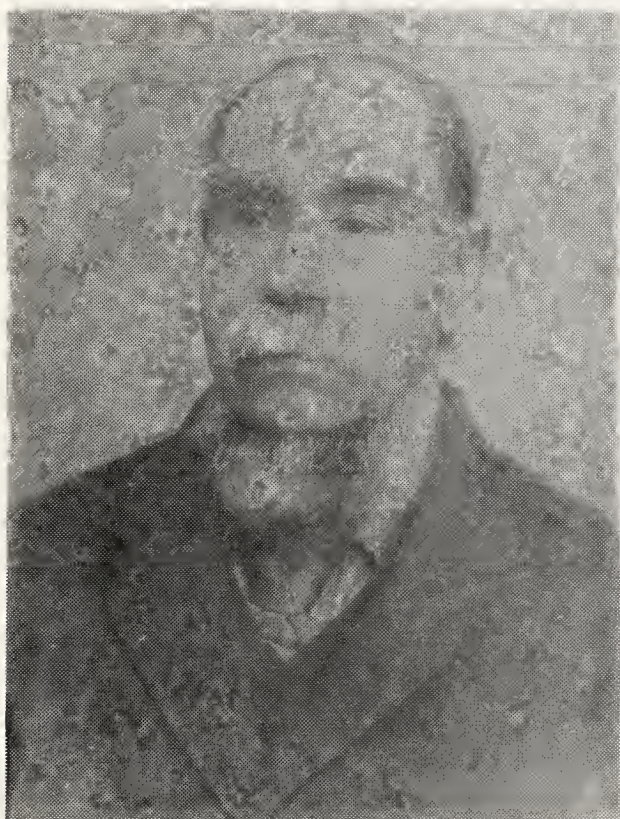
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S O N O F J O S E P H C O X





Martha J. Cox 1828-1915
wife of Solomon B. Cox (49)



James Henry Cox (60)
1833-1899



John Franklin Cox (75)
1874-1954

SOLOMON BENJAMIN COX (49)

Son of Joseph Cox (35) and Amy Baker Cox.

Born Dec. 1, 1809, Ross Co., Ohio. Died Feb. 29, 1892.
(Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.)

Married (a) Mary (Polly) Lile on May 8, 1831 in Ray Co., Mo.
She was probably a sister of Allen Lile who married
Mary Cox (50), sister of Solomon B. Cox (49).

Children:

- (60) James Henry Cox, b. Apr. 30, 1833 in Mo.
- (61) Hulda A. Cox, b. 1835 in Mo.
- (62) Elisha W. Cox, b. about 1837 in Mo.
- (63) John Wesley Cox, b. Feb. 23, 1843.

There is said to have been a son, William Cox (64) in
this family, but the census records do not verify this.
This son is said to have moved to California around 1900.

Married (b) Martha J. Cox, sister of Fleming Trigg Cox, the head
of another pioneer family, but not a relative of the Joseph
Cox family. She was also an aunt of Samuel H. Cox who mar-
ried Solomon's sister, Nica Jane Cox (59). Martha J. Cox
was born Aug. 5, 1828, in Kentucky. She died June 10, 1915
and is buried in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.

Children:

- (65) Andy Porter Cox, b. Aug. 14, 1850 in Mo.

JAMES HENRY COX (60)

Son of Solomon B. Cox (49) and Polly Lile Cox.

Born Apr. 30, 1833 in Ray or Livingston Co., Mo. Died Dec. 6,
1899. (Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.)

Unofficial Civil War rolls list a James H. Cox, Bell Co., Texas.

Married (a) Martha E. Boone in 1854. She was born Sept. 28, 1837
and died May 27, 1865.

Children:

- (66) Solomon Martin Cox, b. Oct. 22, 1855.
- (67) Mary Jane Matilda Cox, b. 4-3-1857. D. 5-13-1865.
- (68) Richmond Carroll Cox, b. 3-1-1859. D. 5-13-1865.
- (69) Milley Catherine Cox, b. 11-29-1861. D. 10-12-1865.
- (70) Hulda Malinda Cox, b. 2-28-1865. D. 9-12-1867.
- (71) Robey Cox, b. 2-12-1867. D. 2-15-1867.

(Continued).



James Henry Cox (60) 1833-1899
and wife, Mary Ann Sutton Cox
1836-1894)
and children, left to right:
William Henry Cox (77) (1878-1942)
John Franklin Cox (75) (1874-1954)
Ada Mabelle Cox (76) 1875-



William Henry Cox (77)
1878-1942

James Henry Cox (60) Continued

Married (b) Mary Ann Brown (nee Sutton, widow of George Harper Brown) on Dec. 31, 1865. She was born Dec. 18, 1836. Died Jan. 19, 1894. (Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.)

Children:

- (72) Roda Adaline Cox, b. 7-31-1869. D. 7-22-1873.
- (73) Jesse Lee Cox, b. 10-28-1870. D. 6-26-1873.
- (74) Arminty Isabel Cox, b. 5-25-1872. D. 6-21-1873.
- (75) John Franklin Cox, b. 8-6-1874.
- (76) Ada Mabelle Cox, b. Dec. 22, 1875.
- (77) William Henry Cox, b. Sept. 25, 1878.

SOLOMON MARTIN COX (66)

Son of James Henry Cox(60) and Martha Boone Cox.

Born Oct. 22, 1855. Died _____

Married Ellen Shelley.

Lived in New Mexico.

Children:

- (78) Lucy Cox.
- (79) Tom Cox.
- (80) Son. Died young.

JOHN FRANKLIN COX (75)

Son of James Henry Cox (60) and Mary Ann Sutton Cox.

Born Sept. 25, 1874. Died Nov. 6, 1954.

Married Lela Catherine Sanderford on July 10, 1895.

Children:

- (81) Ila Mae Cox. Married Bill Jones.
- (82) Elva Catherine Cox.
- (83) Henry Cox. (Deceased).
- (84) Owen Wesley Cox. (Married).
- (85) Leslie Cox.
- (86) Irene Cox. Married Dr. Charles Williams.
- (87) Johnnie Juanita Cox. (Married).
- (88) Ruby Cox. Married Red Pennington.
- (89) Roma Cox. Married B. C. Brood.
- (90) Helen Cox. Married Newt Newsome.

ADA MABELLE COX (76)

Daughter of James Henry Cox (60) and Mary Ann Sutton Cox.

Born Dec. 22, 1875. (Deceased)

Married John P. Taylor.

Children:

- (91) Walter Lee Taylor. Married Effie Hayter.
- (92) Esther Taylor. Married Harris Berry. (Both dec.)
- (93) Ruth Taylor. Married Lon Robinette.
- (94) Lois Taylor. Married Clarence Goode.
- (95) Raymon Taylor. Married Floy Hayter.
- (96) Fay Taylor. Married Andrew Embree.
- (97) Henry Taylor.
- (98) Eva Taylor.

WILLIAM HENRY COX (77)

Son of James Henry Cox (60) and Mary Ann Sutton Cox.

Born Sept. 25, 1878. Died Feb. 10, 1942.

Married Pernecia Colon Sanderford on April 8, 1898. She was born Apr. 8, 1881.

Children:

- (99) Imlah Ruel Cox.
- (100) Mary Jessie Cox.
- (101) Bruce Meadow Cox.
- (102) Maurine Cox.
- (103) William Arthur Cox.
- (104) Theophilus Lee Cox.
- (105) Ora Wilma Cox.
- (106) Necia Mae Cox.
- (107) Homer Sanderford Cox.

MARY JESSIE COX (100)

Daughter of William Henry Cox (77) & Pernecia Sanderford Cox.

Married Julius Enoch Glazener. (Deceased).

Children:

- (108) Julius Enoch Glazener, Jr.
- (109) Emmett Glazener. (Twin).
- (110) Elmer Glazener. (Twin).
- (111) Lenora Jo Glazener.
- (112) Charles Henry Glazener.
- (113) Mary Faye Glazener.



BRUCE MEADOW COX (101)

Son of William Henry Cox (77) & Pernecia Sanderford Cox.

Married Ruby Jordan.

Children:

- (114) Brucene Cox.
- (115) Marjorie Ann Cox.
- (116) Necia Willeda Cox.
- (117) Betha Idella Cox.
- (118) Zala Cox.

MAURINE COX (102)

Daughter of William Henry Cox (77) & Pernecia Sanderford Cox.

Married Bergin Orachie Bailey. (Deceased).

Children:

- (119) Alvis Ferrel Bailey.
- (120) William Orachie Bailey.
- (121) Grady Alton Bailey.
- (122) Patsy Larue Bailey.
- (123) Lydia Bailey.
- (124) Robert Carroll Bailey.
- (125) Margaret Ann Bailey.

WILLIAM ARTHUR COX (103)

Son of William Henry Cox (77) & Pernecia Sanderford Cox.

Married Mardilla Taylor.

Children:

- (126) Ainslee Cox.
- (127) Sara Cox.
- (128) Dottie Cox.
- (129) Vick Cox.

THEOPHILUS LEE COX (104)

Son of William Henry Cox (77) & Pernecia Sanderford Cox.

Married (a) Kathleen McConnell (dec'd) & (b) Marian Boone.

Children:

- (130) Lymon Cox.
- (131) Henry Cox.
- (132) Roxie Cox.
- (133) Peggy Cox.
- (134) Brenda Cox.
- (135) Robin Cox.
- (136) Michelle Cox.



ORA WILMA COX (105)

Daughter of William Henry Cox (77) & Pernecia Sanderford Cox.

Married William Jasper Weimer. (Deceased).

Children:

- (137) Homer Edmund Weimer.
- (138) Glenn Del Weimer.
- (139) Wilma Kathryn Weimer.

NECIA MAE COX (106)

Daughter of William Henry Cox (77) & Pernecia Sanderford Cox.

Married George Andrew Loomis.

Children:

- (140) La Necia Nell Loomis.
- (141) Lou Ann Loomis.

HOMER SANDERFORD COX (107)

Son of William Henry Cox (77) & Pernecia Sanderford Cox.

Married Annie Lou Ratliff.

Children:

- (142) Adrian Cox.
- (143) Karen Cox.
- (144) Joe Cox.
- (145) Jerry Cox.
- (146) Paul Cox.

JULIUS ENOCH GLAZENER, JR. (108)

Son of Mary Jessie Cox Glazener (100) & Julius Enoch Glazener.

Married Cherlon Wilkerson.

Children:

- (147) Jay Glazener. (Twin).
- (148) Kay Glazener. (Twin).

LENORA JO GLAZENER (111)

Daughter of Mary Jessie Cox Glazener (100) & Julius Enoch Glazener.

Married William Cosper.

Children:

- (149) Ronald Henry Cosper.



ALVIS FERREL BAILEY (119)

Son of Maurine Cox Bailey (102) & Bergin Orachie Bailey.

Married _____ (Not reported).

Children:

- (150) Janice Bailey.
- (151) Joyce Bailey.
- (152) Donald Ferrel Bailey.

WILLIAM ORACHIE BAILEY (120)

Son of Maurine Cox Bailey (102) & Bergin Orachie Bailey.

Married _____ (Not reported).

Children:

- (153) Billie Bailey.
- (154) Ronnie Bailey.

PATSY LARUE BAILEY (122)

Daughter of Maurine Cox Bailey (102) & Bergin Orachie Bailey.

Married _____ Ross.

Children:

- (155) Phil Ross.
- (156) Debra Ross.

LYDIA BAILEY (123)

Daughter of Maurine Cox Bailey (102) & Bergin Orachie Bailey.

Married _____ Walker.

Children:

- (157) Vickie Walker.
- (158) Henry Walker.

HULDA COX (61)

Daughter of Solomon B. Cox (49) & Polly Lile Cox.

Born 1835 in Missouri.

Married Hugh Martin Childers, born 1825.

Children:

- (159) Lemuel W. Childers, born 1859-60, Lampasas Co., Texas.

ELISHA W. COX (62)

Son of Solomon B. Cox (49) & Polly Lile Cox.

Born 1837, in Missouri.

Married Rhoda _____, born 1831 in Mo.
Marriage date, 1860.

Children:

- (160) Polly Cox, born 1861.
- (161) Hulda Cox, born 1863.

Elisha Cox served in the Confederate Army from Bell Co., Texas. Elisha was not listed in the 1870 census, but his wife and children were included with the Solomon B. Cox family. Elisha may have died in the Civil War.

JOHN WESLEY COX (63)

Son of Solomon B. Cox (49) & Polly Lile Cox.

Born Feb. 23, 1843 in Livingston Co., Mo. Died Sept. 24, 1926 in Evant, Texas. Civil War Veteran.

Living with Joseph Cox (35) in 1850 census. Mo.

Living with Solomon B. Cox (49) in 1860 census. Texas.

Married (a) Mary Jane Haynes in 1864. She was born Dec. 7, 1847. Died Mar. 22, 1885. Rock Creek Cem., Lampasas Co., Texas.

Children:

- (162) William H. Cox, b. Oct. 24, 1865.
- (163) Solomon B. Cox, b. Oct. 20, 1867.
- (164) Hugh Martin Cox, b. Feb. 19, 1870.
- (165) Samuel H. Cox, b. Mar. 15, 1872.
- (166) John W. Cox, b. Mar. 23, 1874.
- (167) Jennie Bell Cox, b. Oct. 25, 1876.
- (168) Lonnie C. Cox, b. Oct. 6, 1878. D. Jan. 23, 1903. Unmrd.
- (169) Robert A. Cox, b. Sept. 25, 1880.

Married (b) Manda J. Brown Phillips, widow of James L. Phillips. She was born Mar. 14, 1862. Died Nov. 2, 1894. Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Tex.

Children:

- (170) Troy Lee Cox, b. 1889. D. 1893.
- (171) Roy Dee Cox, b. 1891. D. 1893.
- (172) Annie Pearl Cox, b. May 18, 1894.

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John Wesley Cox (63). Continued.

Married (c) Matilda Ruth Kuykendall Young, widow of William Perry Young. She was born Sept. 8, 1856, the daughter of Simon and Martha Kuykendall. Died June 1, 1948. Rock Creek Cemetery, Lampasas Co., Texas.

Married to John Wesley Cox on March 6, 1895.

Children:

- (173) Ollie Dean Cox, b. Nov. 28, 1897.
- (174) Jesse Cox, b. Nov. 14, 1899. D. 4-6-1900. (Twin).
- (175) Bessie Irene Cox, b. Nov. 14, 1899. (Twin).

WILLIAM H. COX (162)

Son of John Wesley Cox (63) & Mary Jane Haynes Cox.

Born Oct. 24, 1865. Died 1953 in Mertzon, Texas.

Married Julia Johnson.

Children:

- (176) Emerson Cox.
Married Evelyn_____. Lives Mertzon, Tex.
Children: Four; names not reported.
- (177) Jean Cox.
Married Mr. Castle. Family not reported.
- (178) Ollie Cox.
Family not reported. Lives Monahan, Texas.
- (179) Winnie Cox.
Family not reported. Lives Eldorado, Texas.
- (180) Minnie Cox.
Family not reported. Lives Sweetwater, Texas.
- (181) Ina Beatrice Cox.
Married Charles Chick. Lives Cisco, Texas.

SOLOMON B. COX (163)

Son of John Wesley Cox (63) & Mary Jane Haynes Cox.

Born Oct. 20, 1867.

Married Birdie Childers.

Children:

Reported to have had two daughters.

HUGH MARTIN COX (164)

Son of John Wesley Cox (63) & Mary J. Haynes Cox.

Born Feb. 19, 1870. D. Nov. 19, 1912. Rock Creek Cemetery,
Lampasas Co., Texas.

Married Beth Young, daughter of Joseph Jefferson Young, and
cousin of Alice Young who married Samuel H. Cox (165).

Children:

Said to have been 10 children in this family, but
names and dates were not reported.

SAMUEL H. COX (165)

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Son of John Wesley Cox (63) & Mary Jane Haynes Cox.

Born March 15, 1872. Lived in Evant, Texas.

Married Alice P. Young in 1895. She was the daughter of
William P. Young and Matilda Ruth Kuykendall Young; the
latter was later the third wife of John Wesley Cox (63).

Children:

- (182) Sammie Cox. Born and died Sept. 10, 1896.
- (183) Myrtle Cox. Married William Hotley, Evant, Texas.
- (184) Lois Cox, a son. Married. Family not reported.

JOHN WESLEY COX, JR. (166)

Son of John Wesley Cox (63) & Mary Jane Haynes Cox.

Born March 23, 1874.

Married Drue Bartlett.

Children:

Said to have been five daughters in this family,
but names and dates not reported.

JENNIE BELL COX (167)

Daughter of John Wesley Cox (63) & Mary Jane Haynes Cox.

Born Oct. 25, 1876. D. Mar. 8, 1954. Rock Creek Cem.

Married William Green Springer.

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Jennie Bell Cox (167) Continued.

Children:

- (185) Earl Rennie Springer, b. Jan. 7, 1898.
- (186) Frank Springer.
- (187) John Wesley Springer.
- (188) Robert Lee Springer.

EARL RENNIE SPRINGER (185)

Son of Jennie Bell Cox Springer (167) & William Green Springer.

Born Jan. 7, 1898. Lives Killeen, Texas.

Married Ethel Medart, daughter of George W. Medart and Margaret Cornelia (Webb) Medart. She was born Dec. 21, 1896.

Children:

- (189) Barbara Ellen Springer, b. Feb. 5, 1919.
Married Pat McDonald, Waco, Texas.
Children: (190) Patsy Elizabeth McDonald, b. 3-18-44.
(191) Ronnie McDonald, b. Feb. 22, 1951.
- (192) Bonnie Nadine Springer, b. Oct. 28, 1924.
Married Lawrence E. Ferris, Killeen, Texas.
Children: (193) Jacquelin Ferris, b. Mar. 30, 1947.
- (194) Doyle Lee Springer, b. Dec. 27, 1929. (Twin).
Married Mary Maples, b. May 18, 1928.
Children: (195) Barbara Springer, b. July 3, 1948.
(196) Brenda Springer, b. May 5, 1951.
(197) Billy Earl Springer, b. Nov. 20, 1954.
- (198) Dollie Dee Springer, b. Dec. 27, 1929. (Twin).
Married Edward Thornton, Killeen, Texas.
Children: (199) Wanda Thornton, b. Jan. 30, 1950.
(200) Bonnie Jean Thornton, b. Dec. 6, 1951.

ROBERT A. COX (169)

Son of John Wesley Cox (63) & Mary Jane Haynes Cox.

Born Sept. 25, 1880. Died Jan. 29, 1905. Rock Creek Cemetery.

Married Lillie Henry, daughter of Thomas Jefferson Henry.

Children:

- (201) Birdie Lee Cox.

ANNIE PEARL COX (172)

Daughter of John Wesley Cox (63) & Manda J. Brown Cox.

Born May 18, 1894. Died 1954 or 1955.

Married Thomas W. Bain.

Children:

(202) T. J. Bain. (Lives Austin, Texas).
Married Marguerite Proctor.
Child: (203) Betty Lynn Bain.

OLLIE DEAN COX (173)

Daughter of John Wesley Cox (63) & Matilda Kuykendall Cox.

Born Nov. 28, 1897.

Married Charles Oscar Longmire. Lives Evant, Texas.

Children:

(204) Charles Carter Longmire.

BESSIE IRENE COX (175)

Daughter of John Wesley Cox (63) & Matilda Kuykendall Cox.

Born Nov. 14, 1899. (Twin).

Married G. B. Winters.

Children:

(205) Von Dean Winters, b. June 30, 1919.

ANDY PORTER COX (65)

Son of Solomon B. Cox (49) & Martha J. (Cox) Cox.

Born Aug. 15, 1850 in Livingston Co., Mo. Died June 18, 1919.

Married Sarah Jane Warren, b. Sept. 19, 1858 in Texas. Died June 15, 1942. She was a daughter of H. C. Warren and a sister of Vollie Warren who married David Cox, son of Neco Jane Cox (59).

Andy Porter Cox and his wife are buried in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell County, Texas.

Children:

(206) Porter Bradley Cox, b. May 22, 1875.
(207) Henry Franklin Cox, b. Dec. 2, 1878.

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Andy Porter Cox (65). Continued.

- (208) Lora Deronia Cox, b. Aug. 25, 1881.
- (209) Infant, born and died Oct. 28, 1882.
- (210) William Wesley Cox, b. May 17, 1884. D. 5-9-1949.
Married Mary Isaac. No children.
- (211) Martha Elizabeth Cox, b. 4-29-1886. D. 5-14-1892.
- (212) Oscar Edward Cox, b. 10-1-1888. D. 12-2-1891.
- (213) Samuel Arthur Cox, b. Oct. 18, 1890.
- (214) Bessie Fronie Cox, b. Dec. 9, 1892.
- (215) Flemmon Ezekiel Cox, b. Feb. 13, 1895.
- (216) Infant, b. Jan. 15, 1899. D. Jan. 26, 1899.
- (217) Della Mae Cox, b. Sept. 7, 1900.
- (218) Vernon Gray Cox, b. Sept. 24, 1902.

PORTER BRADLEY COX (206)

Son of Andy Porter Cox (65) & Sarah J. Warren Cox.

Born May 22, 1875.

Married Nellie Spence.

Children:

- (219) Clarence Cox.
- (220) Elmer Cox.
- (221) P. B. Cox. (Twin).
- (222) J. D. Cox. (Twin).
- (223) Nellie Jane Cox.

HENRY FRANKLIN COX (207)

Son of Andy Porter Cox (65) & Sarah J. Warren Cox.

Born Dec. 2, 1878.

(Living in Burbank, Calif., in 1956)

Married Bessie Agnes Averill on June 2, 1900. She was born Oct. 29, 1885.

Children:

- (224) Sarah Eva Cox, b. Apr. 4, 1902.
- (225) Rodric Jasper Cox, b. Dec. 23, 1903.
- (226) Henry Clay Cox, b. May 23, 1905.
- (227) Leora Elvira Margaret Cox, b. Feb. 17, 1922.

SARAH EVA COX (224)

Daughter of Henry Franklin Cox (207) & Bessie Averill Cox.

Born Apr. 4, 1902. Died May 21, 1952.

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Sarah Eva Cox (224). Continued.

Married Harrod K. Prince.

Children:

- (228) Harrod Kenyon Prince.
Married Winnie Mae Gibb on May 22, 1945.
Child:
(229) Steve Kenyon Prince, b. Aug. 1955.
- (230) Betty Lou Prince. Died at about 2 years of age.
- (231) Joyce Elnor Prince.
Married Bob Rutledge on Jan. 14, 1953.
Child:
(232) Ronald Lee Rutledge, b. Apr. 8, 1954.
- (233) Patsy Lou Prince.
Married Dale Dunlap on Aug. 2, 1952.
Children:
(234) Malcom Lee Dunlap, b. Apr. 28, 1953.
(235) Lyndale Joyce Dunlap, b. Dec. 25, 1955.

RODRIC JASPER COX (225)

Son of Henry Franklin Cox (207) & Bessie Averill Cox.

Born Dec. 23, 1903.

Married Margaret Fee on May 19, 1924.

Children:

- (236) Rodric Eugene Cox, b. Jan. 4, 1930.
- (237) Willis Henry Cox, b. Feb. 23, 1932.
Married Carol Rae Nichols on July 26, 1952.
She was born Apr. 3, 1933.
- (238) Leroy Franklin Cox, b. Feb. 19, 1935.
Married Arlene May Bond. She was born Dec. 6, 1934.

HENRY CLAY COX (226)

Son of Henry Franklin Cox (207) & Bessie Averill Cox.

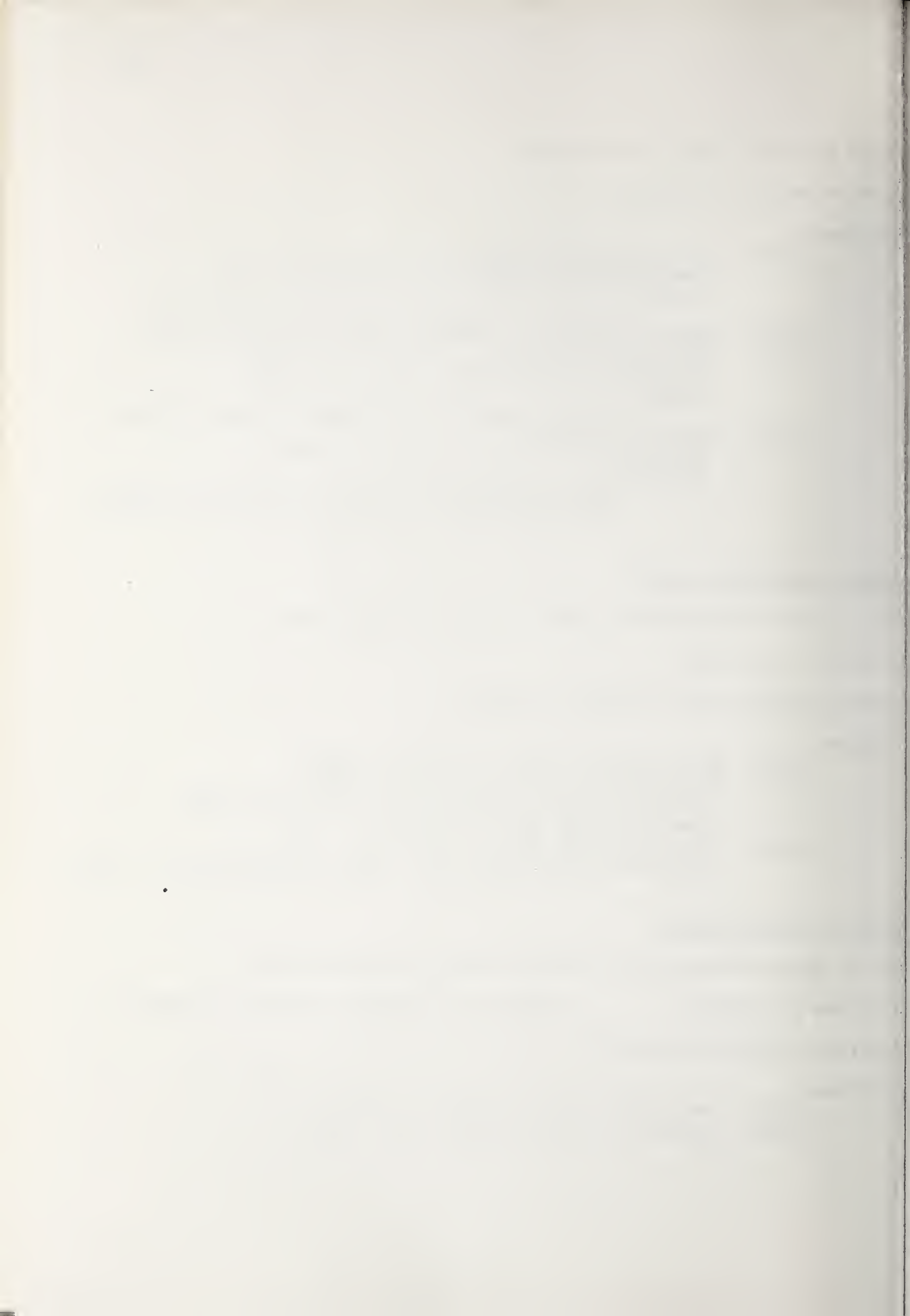
Born May 23, 1905.

(Living in Burbank, Calif., in 1956.)

Married Janet Elaine White.

Children:

- (239) Paul Alvin Cox, b. Feb. 23, 1937.
- (240) Bonnie Lou Cox, b. Sept. 20, 1940.



LEORA ELVIRA MARGARET COX (227)

Daughter of Henry Franklin Cox (207) & Bessie Averill Cox.

Born Feb. 17, 1922.

(Living in Medford, Ore., in 1956.)

Married Wallace Bernard Nylander on Jan. 24, 1941.

Children:

(241) Robin Roy Nylander, b. Feb. 3, 1950.

(242) Terry Lee Nylander, b. Feb. 9, 1954.

LORA DERONIA COX (208)

Daughter of Andy Porter Cox (65) & Sarah J. Warren Cox.

Born Aug. 25, 1881. Died July 31, 1954.

Married Daniel O. Morriss, born about 1884, a son of Daniel P. Morriss (b. Ky., 1827) and Permelia E. Jones Morriss (b. Ark., about 1854).

Children:

(243) Ellen Morriss.

(244) Andy Morriss.

(245) Otho Lee Morriss.

(246) Helen Mae Morriss. (Married Fred Stone).

SAMUEL ARTHUR COX (213)

Son of Andy Porter Cox (65) & Sarah J. Warren Cox.

Born Oct. 18, 1890.

Married Carrie B. Carlisle on July 5, 1909. She was born in 1886 and died in 1947. (Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.)

Children:

(247) Z. Gladys Cox, b. Dec. 19, 1910. Died Jan. 9, 1911.

(248) Troy Ray Cox, b. Feb. 19, 1912.

Married Rosa Dearsom.

Child:

(249) Sammy Cox, b. abt. 1938.

(250) Benjamin Arthur Cox, b. Dec. 17, 1913.

Married Georgia Gardard.

Child:

(251) Ben Ray Cox.

(252) Leola May Cox, b. Aug. 7, 1916.

Married Chas. Beaty.

(253) Infant, born and died Dec. 1, 1918.



BESSIE FRONIE COX (214)

Daughter of Andy Porter Cox (65) & Sarah J. Warren Cox.

Born Dec. 9, 1892 in Bell County, Texas. (Living Plainview, Tex. 1956).

Married Earl Ballew on July 22, 1914.

Children:

(254) Verna Estelle Ballew, b. Apr. 13, 1915.

(255) Lillian Earl Ballew, b. Oct. 13, 1918.

(256) James Arthur Ballew, b. June 25, 1923.

(257) Delbert Nichols Ballew, b. Nov. 12, 1926.

VERNA ESTELLE BALLEW (254)

Daughter of Bessie Cox Ballew (214) & Earl Ballew.

Born April 13, 1915.

Married J. O. Wheeler on Nov. 6, 1935.

Children:

(258) Nelva June Wheeler, b. Aug. 29, 1936. Died 8-17-1938.

(259) Lanny Joe Wheeler, b. Nov. 21, 1938.

(260) Larry Naylor Wheeler, b. Sept. 22, 1941.

(261) Carrol Ann Wheeler, b. June 29, 1944.

(262) Vickie Lynn Wheeler, b. March 11, 1955.

LILLIAN EARL BALLEW (255)

Daughter of Bessie Cox Ballew (214) & Earl Ballew.

Born Oct. 13, 1918.

Married R. N. Tekell on June 17, 1937.

Children:

(263) Aleta Glee Tekell, b. Nov. 7, 1938.

(264) Robert Earl Tekell, b. May 29, 1949.

(265) Teresa Sue Tekell, b. June 8, 1953.

JAMES ARTHUR BALLEW (256)

Son of Bessie Cox Ballew (214) & Earl Ballew.

Born June 25, 1923.

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James Arthur Ballew (256) Continued.

Married (a) Doris Wilson in 1941.

Children:

(266) Doris Darlene Ballew, b. Nov. 27, 1942.

Married (b) Eunice Jennings on May 4, 1945.

Children:

(267) Vanessa Gay Ballew, b. Nov. 23, 1955.

DELBERT NICHOLS BALLEW (257)

Son of Bessie Cox Ballew (214) & Earl Ballew.

Born Nov. 12, 1926.

Married Betty Ruth Baker on Aug. 28, 1946.

Children:

(268) Donny Gene Ballew, b. May 10, 1947.

(269) Ronny Wayne Ballew, b. May 2, 1949.

(270) Ricky Deb Ballew, b. Aug. 3, 1954.

FLEMMON EZEKIEL COX (215)

Son of Andy Porter Cox (65) & Sarah J. Warren Cox.

Born Feb. 13, 1895. Living in Belton, Texas in 1956.

Married Laura Coppins.

Children:

(271) Flemmon Ezekiel Cox, Jr.

(272) Anna Laura Cox.

(273) Wilford Cox.

DELLA MAE COX (217)

Daughter of Andy Porter Cox (65) & Sarah J. Warren Cox.

Born Sept. 7, 1900. Died Nov. 15, 1930.

Married Jarrett Cathey.

Children:

(274) Mary Evangeline Cathey.



VERNON GRAY COX (218)

Son of Andy Porter Cox (65) & Sarah J. Warren Cox.

Born Sept. 24, 1902 in Bell Co., Texas. Living in Dallas in 1956.

Married Mae Louise Wright on Nov. 5, 1923. She was born Dec. 14, 1903, a daughter of Ernest Wright and Violet Louise Nobles Wright.

Children:

- (275) Mae Laverne Cox, b. Nov. 26, 1924.
Married Byron Clynton Raley, son of
Bob and Pearl Raley.

Children:

- (276) Marjorie Aleene Raley, b. Feb. 16, 1943.
(277) Donna Kay Raley, b. Dec. 31, 1944.
(278) Janice Laverne Raley, b. July 13, 1946.
(279) Clynton Gray Raley, b. Apr. 16, 1950.
(280) Melvin Lee Raley, b. Nov. 26, 1952.

- (281) Marjorie Juanita Cox, b. Aug. 20, 1928.
Married Sam Vernon Kennedy on June 30, 1946.
He is a son of Henry Vernon Kennedy and Esther
Lilly Kennedy.

Children:

- (282) Donna Marie Kennedy, b. Dec. 2, 1950.



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D A U G H T E R O F J O S E P H C O X

MARY COX (50)

Daughter of Joseph Cox (35) & Amy Baker Cox.

Born July 16, 1811 in Ross County, Ohio. Died in 1907 in Cloverdale, California. (Mt. Olive Cemetery).

Married Allen P. Lile on July 7, 1833. He was born in Tennessee in 1811-13.

Children:

(283) Isom P. Lile, b. July 5, 1834.

(284) John W. Lile, b. Jan. 24, 1836.

(285) Calip S. Lile, b. Nov. 3, 1837.

(286) Melissa C. Lile, b. Sept. 8, 1839.

Married Livingston Gibbons.

Children:

(287) Charles W. Gibbons, b. 1865.

(288) Andy L. Gibbons, b. 1867.

(289) Chas. M. Lile, b. March 10, 1841.

(290) Andrew B. Lile, b. Aug. 27, 1842.

(291) Melinda C. Lile, b. July 14, 1844.

Married John Thompson.

(292) George E. Lile, b. Feb. 14, 1846.

(293) Anna A. Lile, b. Feb. 14, 1848.

(294) Nancy J. Lile, b. Sept. 4, 1849. (Twin).

(295) Martha Lile, b. Sept. 4, 1849. (Twin).

ISOM P. LILE (283)

Son of Mary Cox Lile (50) & Allen P. Lile.

Born July 5, 1834.

Married (a) Mary A. Cooper.

Children:

- (296) John A. Lile, b. about 1857.
- (297) Mary E. Lile, b. about 1858.
- (298) Chas. M. Lile, b. about 1859.
- (299) Lydia A. Lile, b. May 12, 1861.
- (300) John Lile, b. Jan. 26, 1863.

Married (b) Susane E. Jacobs.

Children:

- (301) Martha J. Lile, b. 1867.
- (302) Jasper Lile, b. 1870.
- (303) Edgar Lile, b. 1872.
- (304) Howard Lile, b. 1875.
- (305) Laura B. Lile, b. 1876.
- (306) Ella May Lile, b. 1880.

GEORGE E. LILE (292)

Son of Mary Cox Lile (50) & Allen P. Lile.

Born Feb. 14, 1846.

Married _____

Children: (Record not complete).

- (307) Florence Lile.
- (308) John Lile.
- (309) Frank Lile.
- (310) May D. Lile.
- (311) Joseph Lile.
- (312) Emory Lile.



LETTERS FROM MARY COX LILE (50) TO

HER SISTER, NICA JANE COX, (59)

(Courtesy of the owner,
Mrs. Thomas Lee Swope,
Killeen, Texas.)

"Cloverdale, Cal.
July 20, (1905)

Dear Sister Jane:

I will write you these few lines to let you know that I am still living and tolerable well. I heard that a lady is here from Belton (Texas). I am going to see her this evening. I hope this will find you all well.

Well our birthdays are past. (Jane's on July 12, and Mary's on July 16.) I was kindly remembered on mine last Sunday. I will send you a little present by Mrs. Wood as she is going to start home in the morning. All the children are well. John and his wife are both dead, and brother Abel. My two youngest girls, Jane and Martha, live in Kansas. I hear from all the rest quite often. Aunt Catherine (widow of Andy Baker Cox) is living at Geyserville not very far, but I don't get to see her very often. Brother Ise (Isom) is well but aunt Liz is dead. I will send you Jane's and Martha's pictures. I will close, hope to hear from you soon. I remain your ever true sister. Love to all. I am 94 years old.

Mary Lile."

(The following two letters were written for Mary Lile by her granddaughter, Florence Lile.)

"Cloverdale, Cal.
Oct. 12, 1905

My dear aunt Jane:

I will try and write a letter for Grandma. We are all pretty well, and hope you are the same. We are having real nice weather now. We have not had much rain yet this fall. What kind of weather are you having where you live? Grandma wants to know if you got aunt Mattie's and aunt Jane's pictures or not. They are living in Colorado now.

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Grandma says she has not heard from uncle Charlie for a long time.

Aunt Lin (Melinda) is not very well now. She lives in Missouri. Aunt Catherine, my great aunt, is living at Geyserville, only seven miles from our place.

We have a nice little garden and orchard. We have some tomatoes and corn yet. We have lots of fruit here. Mama has dried lots of corn, apples, pears, grapes, and has canned corn and tomatoes, pears, apples, peaches, blackberries and lots of other things.

Grandma says to tell you that Mama and Papa have three grandchildren. The oldest one is six years old.

Two of my brothers have a gold mine in Mexico.

Grandma makes quilts.

Grandma says she did not know where you lived before a Mrs. Wood told her about you. Aunt Martha lives in Kansas; she had seven children, but two are dead. Three are living with her, and the other two are married.

Grandma wants you to write and tell her all about your folks. Grandma has six children living, Charles lives at Clinton, Mo. Ise and Lin live at Chilli-cothe, Mo. Jane and Martha live in Kansas, and George here. Grandma has been living here for 13 years and she is satisfied to live here the rest of her life. The children back there are mostly members of the Baptist Church. George and his family are Methodists. Ise was 71 years old last July. Uncle Ise Cox is still living there, he is 90 years old. The relations gave him a dinner on his birthday, the sixth of October. I will close, from

"Florence Lile."

"Cloverdale, Cal.
Aug. 12, 1906

My dear aunt Jane:

I will write a few lines for Grandma this evening. We are all well and hope you are the same. We are having real warm weather now.



Our garden is lovely. We have all kinds of vegetables, besides lots of blackberries. We have a real nice little orchard and all kinds of fruit.

Grandma was 95 the 16th of July; we had a surprise party for her. There were about 70 people here. Almost all of the people brought her presents. She got a dress, a shawl, a nice work basket, two or three silk handkerchiefs and about three other kinds, besides lots of other kinds of things. She had a fine time she said and I think everybody that was here did too. I wish you could have been here too.

Johnnie and Frank (my brothers) are still in Mexico and Frank got his arm broken, but it is getting better. He was working in a mine when he got his arm broken. May and her family are well. She has two children; a little girl 7 years old and a little boy 3 years old. Joe and his wife and baby are well. The baby will be two years old in a few days--she is a cute little thing.

Grandma says she would like to see you all.

Grandma got a letter from Uncle Ise and he says he would like to see you too. He is blind in one eye but he has pretty good health.

Grandma has not heard from Aunt Martha and Aunt Jane for a good while, but the last time she heard from them they were well. She heard from Aunt Lin and her family were well. Uncle Charley has been in pretty poor health for a long time.

Grandma still makes quilts and they are real pretty.

Well I think I will have to close for this time. Grandma says that she would like to see you and talk to you. Write soon.

Your loving niece,

Florence Lile".



GEORGE E. LILE'S TRIBUTE TO HIS

MOTHER, MARY COX LILE

"Cloverdale, Cal.
Dec. 16, 1907

Dear aunt Jane:

I will write you a few lines to tell you of the death of my dear mother. She died last Sunday morning. She was taken sick two weeks before with grip. She did not seem to suffer very much, did not have but very little fever, the worst trouble was short-breath. The doctor said it was her heart, he came out every day for a week but she grew weaker every day when at last the end came without a struggle, and a sweet, peaceful look was on her face in death. We laid the dear old body away in Mount Olive Cemetery.

We miss her so; and why shouldn't we? For sixteen years she was at the fireside and sat with us at the table. Now her chair is vacant, but her troubles are all over. She had many friends, everybody that knew her loved her, and paid their respects in attending her funeral.

Well, she is gone but we must not complain. The Lord let us keep her a long time, and her life was a good life. From her example we can learn many things. We will send you one of the funeral notices.

We close this with love, hoping this will find you well.

Ever your nephew and niece,

George E. Lile and wife."

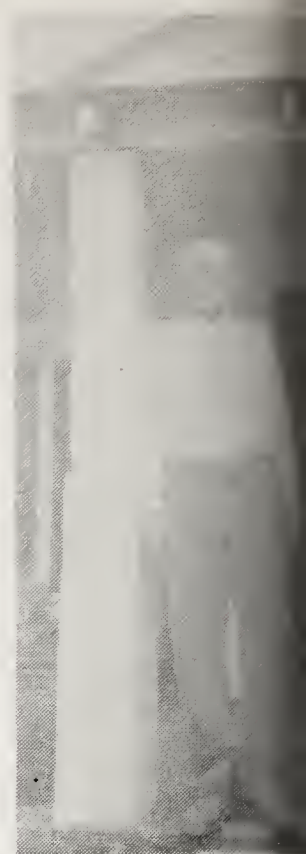


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Hugh Martin Cox (322)
Age 91 (1954)

Left to right:
Minerva J. Cox Hulsey (315) 1849-1917
Hulda E. Cox Potter (318) 1855-1939
Ellen E. Cox Barr (326) 1868-

Thomas Jefferson Cox
Age 89 (1954)



Joseph Abel Cox (314)
1848-1937



Isaac Cox (319)
1858- ?

JOHN COX (51)

Son of Joseph Cox (35) and Amy Baker Cox.

Born Sept. 28, 1813 in Ross County, Ohio. Died Apr. 18, 1874.
Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell County, Texas.

Married (a) Sarah Moberly on April 21, 1839 in Livingston Co., Mo. Reported to have been a daughter, Virginia Cox (313), by this marriage, but no record of her has been found.

Married (b) Matilda Castle on April 28, 1846 in Livingston Co., Mo. She was born in Ohio on April 14, 1829. Her home was near Quincy, Illinois at the time of her marriage. She married Charles B. Fade after John Cox died. She died June 2, 1902. Killeen Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.

Children of John and Matilda Cox:

- (314) Joseph Abel Cox, b. Sept. 1, 1848.
- (315) Minerva J. Cox, b. Dec. 17, 1849.
- (316) George Washington Cox, b. Sept. 17, 1852.
- (317) James Christopher Cox, b. Nov. 18, 1853.
- (318) Hulda Emeline Cox, b. Mar. 22, 1855.
- (319) Isaac Cox, b. Feb. 5, 1858.
- (320) John William Cox, b. about 1859.
- (321) Benjamin Franklin Cox, b. about 1860.
- (322) Hugh Martin Cox, b. Dec. 25, 1863.
- (323) Thomas Jefferson Cox, b. Dec. 25, 1865. (Twin).
- (324) Andrew Jackson Cox, b. Dec. 25, 1865. (Twin).
- (325) Mary Matilda Cox, b. Nov. 1866. Died Oct. 1867.
- (326) Ellen Elizabeth Cox, b. June 1, 1868.
- (327) Ervin Cox, b. Aug. 2, 1872.

JOSEPH ABEL COX (314)

Son of John Cox (51) and Matilda Castle Cox.

Born Sept. 1, 1848 in Livingston Co., Mo. Died Feb. 17, 1937.
Killeen Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.

Married Laritha Ellen Bailey. She was born in Missouri about 1848, and was a daughter of William L. and Elizabeth Bailey, born Kentucky and Missouri respectively.

Children:

- (328) William L. Cox, b. 1870.
- (329) Denny B. Cox, b. 1872.
- (330) Rachel M. Cox, b. about 1875-76.
- (331) Dulcina Cox, b. about 1878-79.
- (332) Joseph Cox.
- (333) James Cox.

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MINERVA J. COX (315)

Daughter of John Cox (51) and Matilda Castle Cox.

Born Dec. 17, 1849 in Missouri. Died Sept. 1, 1917. Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.

Married G. Ervin Hulsey. He was born in Georgia Nov. 5, 1839. Died July 26, 1895. Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.

Children:

(334) Mary Matilda Hulsey, b. June 21, 1870.

Died Nov. 27, 1943.

Married Wm. R. Burks, b. Dec. 1, 1861.

Died Jan. 25, 1942.

Child:

(335) Estella Burks, b. Jan. 23, 1894.

Died Oct. 17, 1921.

(336) Alzora Hulsey, b. about 1872.

Married Mr. Cannon.

Children:

(337) Mamie Cannon.

(338) Floyd Cannon.

(339) Minnie Sophia Hulsey, b. May 11, 1874.

Died Oct. 27, 1877.

(340) Ellen Hulsey. Married Mr. Smith.

(341) Ollie Hulsey. Married Mr. Polk.

GEORGE WASHINGTON COX (316)

Son of John Cox (51) and Matilda Castle Cox.

Born Sept. 17, 1852. Died Nov. 22, 1903. Killeen, Texas, Cemetery.

Married (a) Sarah Cox, daughter of Fleming Trigg Cox and Mary G. Leigh Cox. Sarah was born Feb. 16, 1857. Died Nov. 20, 1883.

Children:

(342) Mary Matilda Cox, b. 1874.

(343) Hulda Savannah Cox, b. 1876.

(344) George F. Cox, b. 1878.

(345) John Cox, b. July 28, 1881. Died Sept. 29, 1883.

Married (b) Martha E. Brumlow (widow, nee Jones) b. 1857. Her daughter Frances Adeline Brumlow married Hugh Martin Cox (322).

Children:

(346) Thomas Jackson Cox, b. June 17, 1888.

(347) Bessie Cox, b. 1898.

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MARY MATILDA COX (342)

Daughter of George Washington Cox (316) & Sarah Cox.

Born 1874 in Texas.

Married John Sanderford.

Children:

(348) Lee Sanderford, daughter.

Married Troy Baker.

Children:

(349) Melvin Baker.

(350) Darrell Baker.

HULDA SAVANNAH COX (343)

Daughter of George Washington Cox (316) & Sarah Cox.

Born 1876 in Texas.

Married George Stinson.

Children:

(351) Earl Stinson. (Died young).

(352) Weldon Stinson.

(353) Lillian Stinson.

(354) Estelle Stinson.

(Record not complete).

THOMAS JACKSON COX (346)

Son of George Washington Cox (316) & Martha Jones Cox.

Born June 17, 1888. Living in Killeen, Texas in 1955.

Married Myrtle Montgomery. She was born Nov. 27, 1884.

Children:

(355) Mildred Cox, b. June 11, 1911. Died Oct. 1915.

(356) Ormond Cox, b. March, 1913.

Married Laverne Hash. She was born March 1919.

(357) Jack Weldon Cox, b. Sept. 5, 1916. Died Nov. 1917.

(358) Lawrence Cox, b. Oct. 8, 1919.

(359) Ardeen Cox, b. July 11, 1922.

LAWRENCE COX (358)

Son of Thomas Jackson Cox (346) & Myrtle Montgomery Cox.

Born Oct. 8, 1919. Living in Waco, Texas in 1955.

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Lawrence Cox (358) (Continued)

Married Bonnie Renick, daughter of Harvey Renick.

Children:

- (360) Larry Cox, b. Sept. 23, 1946.
- (361) Jack Michael Cox, b. Oct. 1951.

ARDEEN COX (359)

Son of Thomas Jackson Cox (346) & Myrtle Montgomery Cox.

Born July 11, 1922. Living in Waco, Texas in 1955.

Married Frances Cockerell.

Children:

- (362) Bryan Cox, b. Oct. 1949.

BESSIE COX (347)

Daughter of George Washington Cox (316) & Martha Jones Cox.

Born 1898 in Texas.

Married Alex Groves of Belton, Texas.

Children:

- (363) Clarence Groves. (Died unmarried).
- (364) Dorothy Dell Groves.
Married Wm. Laughton.
Children:
 - (365) Trudy Laughton.
 - (366) Alec Laughton.
- (367) Herbert Groves.
- (368) Charlotte Jean Groves.
Married "Nick" Smith of Ft. Worth, Texas.
Children:
 - (369) Steve Smith.
 - (370) Cynthia Jean Smith.

JAMES CHRISTOPHER COX (317)

Son of John Cox (51) and Matilda Castle Cox.

Born Nov. 18, 1853 in Bell County, Texas. Died July 21, 1941.
(Civil War veteran).

Married (a) Josephine Savannah Miller. She was born about 1862.

Children:

- (371) X. B. Cox, b. May 11, 1880.
- (372) Boyd R. Cox, b. Oct. 1882-83.
Married Lillian Horton of Ozona, Texas.
- (373) Samuel Sparks Cox, b. 1885-86.

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James Christopher Cox (317) (Continued).

(374) Dovie Cox, b. about 1891.

Married (b) Ellen Josephine Murphy. She was born Feb. 22, 1884.
(Living in Killeen, Texas in 1955).

Children:

- (375) Cecil Rhodes Cox, b. Oct. 21, 1902.
- (376) Geneva Kathleen Cox, b. Jan. 16, 1905.
- (377) James Cox, b. Nov. 18, 1906.

X. B. COX (371)

Son of James Christopher Cox (317) & Josephine Miller Cox.

Born May 11, 1880. (Named for Major X. B. Saunders, under whom his father served in the Civil War).

Married Myrtle Teague.

Children:

- (378) Donald Cox.
- (379) X. B. Cox, Jr.

SAMUEL SPARKS COX (373)

Son of James Christopher Cox (317) & Josephine Miller Cox.

Born 1885-86. Died 1945.

Married Bertha Chapman.

Children:

- (380) Cleeta Glee Cox.
- (381) Son.

CECIL RHODES COX (375)

Son of James Christopher Cox (317) & Ellen Murphy Cox.

Born Oct. 21, 1902.

Married (a) Alberta Justice.

Children:

- (382) Cecil Justice Cox.

Married (b) Wilhelmina Ziegler.

GENEVA KATHLEEN COX (376)

Daughter of James Christopher Cox (317) & Ellen Murphy Cox.

Born Jan. 16, 1905.

Married Lawrence D. Levy.

No children.

JAMES COX (377)

Son of James Christopher Cox (317) & Ellen Murphy Cox.

Born Nov. 18, 1906.

Married Catherine Parmer. She was born June 29, 1910, the daughter of Samuel McKinley Parmer and Mary Normand Parmer.

Children:

(383) Mary Ellen Cox, b. Jan. 13, 1930.

Married Homer Dye.

Children:

(384) Homer Dye, Jr., b. May 22, 1949.

(385) Tommie Earl Dye, b. Dec. 23, 1951.

(386) Gary Wayne Dye, b. Sept. 24, 1954.

(387) Thomas Randal Cox, b. May 27, 1932.

(388) Joyce Nell Cox, b. Nov. 2, 1936.

(389) Billy Ed Cox, b. Oct. 8, 1944.

HULDA EMELINE COX (318)

Daughter of John Cox (51) & Matilda Castle Cox.

Born March 22, 1855 in Texas. Died Nov. 7, 1939. Killeen Texas Cemetery.

Married Thomas Jefferson Potter. He was born Feb. 22, 1852. Died March 18, 1925.

No children, but reared Hulda's niece, Gertie Cox (410), whose mother died when she was born.

ISAAC COX (319)

Son of John Cox (51) & Matilda Castle Cox.

Born Feb. 5, 1858 in Bell Co., Texas. (Killeen, Texas Cemetery).

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Isaac Cox (319) (Continued).

Married Mary Elizabeth Wilheit. She was born Jan. 16, 1863, a sister of Frances Wilheit who married Isaac's brother, John William Cox (320). She died March 26, 1914.

Children:

- (390) Isaac Frank Cox, b. Oct. 1879.
Married Ray Jorden.
Child:
(391) Lucille Cox.
- (392) Joseph E. Cox, b. Oct. 23, 1883. Died Oct. 6, 1929.
Married Ursula E. _____. She was born March 29, 1883. Died Oct. 12, 1931.
(Killeen, Texas Cemetery).
- (393) Mabel Cox, b. about 1894.
- (394) Alma Cox.

JOHN WILLIAM COX (320)

Son of John Cox (51) & Matilda Castle Cox.

Born about 1859 in Texas. Died in Lampasas, Texas.

Married Frances Wilheit. She was born about 1862, a sister of Mary Elizabeth Wilheit, who married Isaac Cox (319). She died in Adamsville, Texas.

Children:

- (395) John O. Cox, b. 1879.
- (396) Henry Cox. (dec'd).
- (397) June Cox. (dec'd).
- (398) Birdie Cox. (dec'd).

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN COX (321)

Son of John Cox (51) & Matilda Castle Cox.

Born 1860 in Bell Co., Texas.

Married Mattie Adkins of Colvert, Oklahoma.

Children:

- (399) Frank Cox, b. Sept. 7, 1890-91.
- (400) May Cox, b. Dec. 16, 1901.
- (401) Catherine Cox, b. Mar. 25, 1903.
- (402) Ollie Cox, (dau.) b. Nov. 16, 1904.
- (403) Bennie Cox, (dau.) b. Sept. 2, 1906.
- (404) Irene Cox, b. April 21, 1908.

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Hugh Martin Cox (322) 1863-
and his wife
Frances Adeline Brumlow Cox 1875-1954

Benjamin Franklin Cox (321) (Continued)

- (405) Charley Cox, b. Dec. 17, 1909.
- (406) Hugh Cox, b. May 30, 1911.
- (407) Geneva Cox, b. June 26, 1914.
- (408) Mattie Lee Cox, b. June 16, 1916.
- (409) Wanda Cox, b. Nov. 30, 1917.

HUGH MARTIN COX (322)

Son of John Cox (51) & Matilda Castle Cox.

Born Dec. 25, 1863 in Bell County, Texas. Living in Killeen, Texas in 1955.

Married (a) Louie Van Dyke. (Died in 1882).

Children:

- (410) Mary Matilda Gertrude Cox, b. Dec. 20, 1882.

Married (b) Frances Adeline Brumlow on April 1, 1890. She was born Nov. 15, 1874. Died Oct. 20, 1954.

Children:

- (411) George Elbert Cox, b. 1896.
- (412) Louis Hugh Cox, b. 1900.
Married Georgia _____. (No children).
- (413) Nola Cox, b. 1903.
Married Ellis Hicks (1071), grandson of Nica Jane Cox (59). No children.

MARY MATILDA GERTRUDE COX (410)

Daughter of Hugh Martin Cox (322) & Louie VanDyke Cox.

Born Dec. 20, 1882 in Bell Co., Texas. (Living in Killeen, Texas.)

Married Thomas Adams.

Children:

- (414) Estaline Adams.
- (415) Laverne Adams.
- (416) T. H. Adams.
- (417) Mary Lynn Adams.

GEORGE ELBERT COX (411)

Son of Hugh Martin Cox (322) & Frances Brumlow Cox.

Born 1896 in Bell Co., Texas.

Married Myrtle Brock.

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George Elbert Cox (411) (Continued).

Children:

(418) Milford Cox.

(419) Miral Cox.

THOMAS JEFFERSON COX (323)

Son of John Cox (51) & Matilda Castle Cox.

Born Dec. 25, 1865 in Bell Co., Texas. Living in Nolanville, Texas in 1955.

Twin of Andrew Jackson Cox (324).

Married Ollie Evans. She was born about 1868. She died Jan. 29, 1955.

Children:

(420) Lee Cox, b. Nov. 4, 1889.

Married Jewell Moore. (No children.)

(421) Jack Cox, b. 1892.

Married Ora Murphy. (No children.)

ANDREW JACKSON COX (324)

Son of John Cox (51) & Matilda Castle Cox.

Born Dec. 25, 1865 in Bell Co., Texas. Died in 1938. (Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas). (His tombstone birthdate is 1864).

Twin of Thomas Jefferson Cox (323).

Married "Joe" Everett. She was born in 1869. Died in 1941.

Children:

(422) Frank Cox, b. about 1887.

Married Bennie Lou Medlin.

Child:

(423) Ernest D. Cox. (Died young.)

(424) Hiram Reynolds Cox,

Married Anne Townsend.

ELLEN ELIZABETH COX (326)

Daughter of John Cox (51) & Matilda Castle Cox.

Born June 1, 1868 in Bell Co., Texas. (Living in Killeen, Texas in 1955.)

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Ellen Elizabeth Cox (326) (Continued)

Married Charles Barr, b. Dec. 6, 1857. Died in 1952.

Children:

- (425) Allie Barr, b. Jan. 6, 1886.
- (426) Frank Barr, b. Mar. 22, 1887.
- (427) Lillie Barr, b. May 24, 1889.
- (428) Willie Barr, b. July 18, 1891.
- (429) Tumpie Barr, b. Aug. 16, 1894.
- (430) Wash Barr, b. June 28, 1897.
- (431) Hugh Barr, b. Dec. 23, 1899.
- (432) Griffin Barr, b. Feb. 10, 1902.
- (433) Raymon Ennis Barr, b. Sept. 27, 1904. Died Feb. 1905.

ALLIE BARR (425)

Married George Haire. (Dec'd)

Children:

- (434) Vennie Mae Haire.
- (435) George Haire.

FRANK BARR (426)

Married (a) Ethel Haire. (Seven children.)

(b) Oma Taylor. (Children.)

LILLIE BARR (427)

Married Griffin Haire.

Children:

- (436) Jack Haire.

WILLIE BARR (428)

Married Annie Griffin. (Three sons.)

TUMPIE BARR (429)

Married John Daniels.

Children:

- (437) J. E. Daniels.

WASH BARR (430)

Married (a) Beulah Ennis.

Children:

- (438) Emaline Barr.
- (439) Wash Barr, Jr.

Married (b) Algerine Hibbit.

Children:

- (440) Burke Barr.
- (441) Laddie Barr.

HUGH BARR (431)

Married Margaret Miller.

Children:

- (442) Thomas Hugh Barr.
- (443) Billie Barr. (Dau.)
- (444) Dred Miller Barr.

ERVIN COX (327)

Son of John Cox (51) & Matilda Castle Cox.

Born Aug. 2, 1872 in Texas. Died Aug. 6, 1904. (Killeen, Texas Cemetery.)

Married Donia Ray in 1895. She was born Feb. 22, 1874, the daughter of Wade H. Ray and Queen Victoria Herring Ray. (Living in Nolanville, Texas in 1955.)

Children:

- (445) James Dewey Cox, b. Aug. 8, 1898.
- (446) Mamie Lee Cox, b. July 12, 1902.
Married Lee Ernest Renker on Dec. 20, 1924.
No children.

JAMES DEWEY COX (445)

Son of Ervin Cox (327) & Donia Ray Cox.

Born Aug. 8, 1898.

Married (a) Ethel Bailes.

No children.

Married (b) Christine Schlessinger Pope.

Children:

- (447) Ervin D. Cox. (Hayward, Calif.)



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S O N O F J O S E P H C O X

LETTERS FROM JOSEPH COX (35)TO HIS SON, ISOM COX (52)

(Courtesy of the owner,
Mrs. Sterling P. Cox,
Chillicothe, Mo.)

"Bell County, Texas.
September 28, 1856.

Dear son and daughter:

I take the present opportunity to write you a few lines to let you know I am well and hope these few lines will find you all enjoying the same like blessings, thanks be to God for all His mercies toward me.

The connection is all well here and has been all this summer. The health of the country is good.

I received your letter yesterday dated August 29th which gave me great satisfaction to hear from you and to hear you were all well at the time you wrote. It was the first letter that I have got from you in about 3 years, and never had got but one before and it was answered immediately. William never has wrote to me but once. I haven't got a letter from Abel in two years or more and I began to think you had all forgot me. It is a great satisfaction to me to hear from you if I can't see you and to hear how you are all getting along. I want you to answer this letter and let me know what you are all a following for a lively hood.

Tell Allen Lile I have been looking for a long time to get a letter from him. I wrote to him before Andy left here and haven't got an answer yet. You wanted to know how I was a living. Little John and me is a keeping house by ourselves and it is a very lonesome life but of course it won't last me very long for I am a getting very old and feel ready and willing to go any time my Lord calls me to go. If none of you think enuf of me to come to see me I hope you all will be prepared to meet me in a better world.

Benjamin Cox has gone from home and won't be back for three weeks. When he comes I will get the recipe for making Bee Bate (bait) and send it to you. I have forgot how to make the Bate so I will wait until Ben comes home. I don't know what you want with it in that old country for I had thought there would be no bees in there now.

Stock brings a good price here. I was offered one hundred and twenty five dollars for a mare I have when she was three years old. She has a colt that is hard to beat. Now my pork hogs is in good selling order now and the market is just beginning to fall. Tell Andy that hogs has done a good deal

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better this summer than they did last summer. Tell Andy I have had no chance of selling off his bee gums. They still stand right where he left them and I expect they are full of honey for bees is very rich.

Tell Andy Cox and Doctor Ireland I think they have forgotten their promise to me they they promised to write to me as soon as they got back and Andy promised to write and let me know about things there, and they have been there over one month and I have got no letter from them yet. I am a thinking they are so well pleased with their move they have forgotten me altogether. I think you had better come out here, Isom, and winter one winter and get your health for I think this is as healthy a country as there is in the world. Since Andy come and went back again I am more and more anxious for you to come and see the country and live with me one year as well as Andy. Fix up your old gun and come and stay with me this winter and lets have a buffalo hunt for they are coming in by the hundreds.

The Indian agent has come in from Ft. Bellnap, he says the prairies is lined with them within forty and fifty miles of here. There have been some seen within 15 or 20 miles of here. Isom, I have heard you had an heir at your house but haven't thought enough of it to tell us anything about it or to write its name.

Jane Cox has a fine son. Charles Littlepage is out here. He says your connection in Travice County is well. James Littlepage is married to Marthy Knight and she is as big and fat as Elizabeth.

Tell Andy that the reserve bill has been lifted off all the lands west of the Brases and those that took premtions in the reserve got those lands at 50 cents an acre and 18 months to pay for their land and after the first of next March all vacant lands west of the Brases in the reserve will be in the market at 50 cents an acre.

So no more at present but I remain your loving father till death.

Joseph Cox

To Isom and Elizabeth Cox."

"Bell County, Belton, Texas.
November the 2, 1856.

Dear son and daughter:

I take the present opportunity to write you a few lines to let you know I am well at present and hope these few lines will find you well. The connection here is all well and has been all this season. The health of the neighborhood is



good. I don't know of any sycness in this neighborhood in any case.

You wanted to know how to make Bee Bate. Go buy you a vile (vial) of the oil of cloves and one of cinnamon drops and one of sweet anis. You will find them at the drug store. Then take half pint of honey, then take a broom straw and dip it in one of your viles and then put it in your honey and so on until till you dip your straw in every one of your viles, then put a little more anice than the rest. Then put a half pint of water and shake well, then your bate is fit for use. Then get you a handful of grass and fasten it together. Then take your mouth part full of your bate and blow it on the grass. Then put it on a stick or brush for them to suck at. That is good for we just tried it.

We got home day before yesterday from a hunt. We were gone a short time. We killed about twenty deer, and got a fine chanse of honey. We found a place where bees were very plentiful and would have got a good deal more but the weather was cloudy and windy nearly all the time we were gone.

I want you to write me immediately as soon as you see these few lines and let me know what you all are doing and what you are a following for a lively hood.

Wheat is worth from \$1.50 to \$2.00 a bushel, corn a dollar a bushel, stock of all kinds bring a good price. We had two lite frosts but nary a one hard killing frost. Sweet potato tops is green yet. The beans is a blossoming yet and curing pork is worth from \$5 to \$6 per hundred. Tell Andy that I have got 15 cents per pound for my bacon and lard at home.

So no more at present, but I remain your loving father till death.

Joseph Cox

To Isom and Elizabeth Cox."

ISOM (JAMES?) COX (52)

Son of Joseph Cox (35) and Amy Baker Cox.

Born Oct. 7, 1815 in Ross Co., Ohio. Died Jan. 4, 1909.
(Macedonia Cemetery, Chillicothe, Mo.)

Married (a) Elvira Weber on Nov. 6, 1842 in Livingston Co., Mo. She was born in Ohio. She died in 1846.

Children:

(448) Harriette Elizabeth Cox, b. Jan. 11, 1845.

Married (b) Elizabeth D. Littlepage in 1849. She was born in Alleghany Co., Virginia. She died Sept. 15, 1899.

Children:

(449) Jane M. Cox, b. Aug. 30, 1855.

(450) Sterling Price Cox, b. Nov. 17, 1861. (Twin).

(451) Charles Lee Cox, b. Nov. 17, 1861. (Twin).

(452) Joseph Beverly Cox, b. Sept. 1864-65.

HARRIETTE ELIZABETH COX (448)

Daughter of Isom J. Cox (52) and Elvira Weber Cox.

Born Jan. 11, 1845. Died Jan. 12, 1899.

Married (a) Nathan Gibbons on Jan. 14, 1864 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Children:

(453) Elvira Gibbons, b. about 1865.

(454) Louella Gibbons, b. Dec. 6, 1866.

Married (b) William Burrel Wilson. He was born Dec. 6, 1846, and died in 1932.

Children:

(455) Edward Harvey Wilson, b. Mar. 18, 1874.

(456) Dora Wilson, died at age 18.

(457) Charles William Wilson, b. May 3, 1876.

(458) James Henry Wilson, b. Sept. 6, 1881.

(459) John Isaac Wilson, b. Apr. 2, 1878.

(460) Benjamin Franklin Wilson, b. Feb. 8, 1888.

ELVIRA GIBBONS (453)

Daughter of Harriette Elizabeth Cox Gibbons (448) & Nathan Gibbons.

Born about 1865. Died in 1888.

Married John H. Cox (787), son of Andy Baker Cox (57). See the record of John H. Cox for their children.



LOUELLA GIBBONS (454)

(448)

Daughter of Harriette E. Cox Gibbons & Nathan Gibbons.

Born Dec. 7, 1866. Died Jan. 20, 1946.

Married John Wesley Bills on Dec. 28, 1884. He was born March 31, 1859. Died Nov. 29, 1942.

Children:

- (461) Maude Harriette Bills, b. Aug. 20, 1886.
- (462) Thomas Bills, b. Apr. 2, 1888.
- (463) William W. Bills, b. Dec. 15, 1890.
- (464) Charles Wesley Bills, b. Mar. 4, 1894.
- (465) Calvin Presley Bills, b. Sept. 25, 1896.

MAUDE HARRIETTE BILLS (461)

Daughter of Louella Gibbons Bills (454) & John Wesley Bills.

Born Aug. 20, 1886. Died Dec. 27, 1937.

Married James Aaron Cooper on Oct. 17, 1907. He was born Mar. 29, 1888.

Children:

- (466) Dorothy May Cooper, b. Jan. 9, 1911.
- (467) Mildred Retta Cooper, b. Oct. 8, 1913.
- (468) Wesley Oscar Cooper, b. Sept. 9, 1915.
- (469) Kathryn Berniece Cooper, b. Oct. 27, 1919.
- (470) Mary Elizabeth Cooper, b. June 4, 1920.
- (471) Donna Lou Cooper, b. Sept. 29, 1925.
- (472) Billy Ray Cooper, b. Mar. 29, 1929.

DOROTHY MAY COOPER (466)

Daughter of Maude H. Bills Cooper (461) & James Aaron Cooper.

Born Jan. 9, 1911.

Married Joseph Martin Hicks. He was born Feb. 10, 1910.

Children:

- (473) Carolyn Joe Hicks, b. Dec. 7, 1936.
Married Gerald D. Stephens on May 23, 1954.
He was born Sept. 23, 1933.
- (474) James Martin Hicks, b. Oct. 3, 1939.



MILDRED RETTA COOPER (467)

Daughter of Maude H. Bills Cooper (461) & James Aaron Cooper.

Born Oct. 8, 1913.

Married Homer Eldon Bolen on May 2, 1937. He was born Jan. 24, 1911.

Children:

(475) Eldon Keith Bolen, b. Nov. 6, 1940.

(476) Sherry Linn Bolen, b. Sept. 15, 1947.

WESLEY OSCAR COOPER (468)

Son of Maude H. Bills Cooper (461) & James Aaron Cooper.

Born Sept. 9, 1915.

Married Opal Gregory on Mar. 22, 1946. She was born March 31, 1916.

Children:

(477) Jackie Ray Cooper, b. Oct. 20, 1947.

KATHRYN BERNIECE COOPER (469)

Daughter of Maude H. Bills Cooper (461) & James Aaron Cooper.

Born Oct. 27, 1919.

Married Rayburn Tolen

Children:

(478) Nancy Rae Tolen

(479) Ronnie Cooper Tolen

(480) Don Rayburn Tolen

MARY ELIZABETH COOPER (470)

Daughter of Maude H. Bills Cooper (461) & James Aaron Cooper.

Born June 4, 1920.

Married Glen Gorden on Feb. 2, 1941. He was born July 3, 1922.

Children:

(481) Deanna Kay Gorden, b. Oct. 28, 1942.

(482) Danny Gorden, b. Jan. 5, 1949.



DONNA LOU COOPER (471)

Daughter of Maude H. Bills Cooper (461) & James Aaron Cooper.

Born Sept. 29, 1925.

Married Raymond Innis on Dec. 10, 1942. He was born July 17, 1921.

No children.

BILLY RAY COOPER (472)

Son of Maude H. Bills Cooper (461) & James Aaron Cooper.

Born Mar. 29, 1929.

Married Clara May Zullig on Sept. 23, 1948. She was born Jan. 7, 1932.

Children:

(483) Jerry Ray Cooper, b. Jan. 7, 1952.

THOMAS BILLS (462)

Son of Louella Gibbons Bills (454) & John Wesley Bills.

Born Apr. 2, 1888. Died Mar. 20, 1947.

Married Ella Cole. She was born Nov. 19, 1889.

Children:

(484) Lawrence Thomas Bills, b. June 6, 1912.

(485) Mary Helen Bills, b. Dec. 15, 1913.

(486) Rex Edwin Bills, b. Dec. 1, 1925.

LAWRENCE THOMAS BILLS (484)

Son of Thomas Bills (462) and Ella Cole Bills.

Born June 6, 1912.

Married Eva Marian Rupe. She was born Feb. 14, 1914.

Children:

(487) Lawrence Eugene Bills, b. Feb. 25, 1935.

(488) Jewel Dean Bills, b. Mar. 5, 1937.

Married Joanne Vadnais. She was born May 22, 1937.

(489) Beverly Joan Bills, b. Feb. 17, 1937.

(490) Judith Marie Bills, b. Nov. 20, 1940.

(491) Gary Dale Bills, b. Oct. 23, 1943.

MARY HELEN BILLS (485)

Daughter of Thomas Bills (462) and Ella Cole Bills.

Born Dec. 15, 1913.

Married Leslie Ashford Miles. He was born May 23, 1907.

Children:

- (492) Leslie Joe Miles, b. Sept. 1, 1932.
- (493) Mary Joyce Miles, b. Apr. 9, 1936.
- (494) Judy Ann Miles, b. July 2, 1941.

REX EDWIN BILLS (486)

Son of Thomas Bills (462) and Ella Cole Bills.

Born Dec. 1, 1925.

Married Mary Frances Hargrave. She was born July 16, 1930.

Children:

- (495) Thomas Rex Bills, b. Aug. 28, 1948.
- (496) Allan Lee Bills, b. Jan. 18, 1953.
- (497) Trudy Rae Bills, b. Aug. 4, 1955.

WILLIAM W. BILLS (463)

Son of Louella Gibbons Bills (454) & John Wesley Bills.

Born Dec. 15, 1890.

Married Eva Dawkins. She was born Dec. 22, 1893.

Children:

- (498) William R. Bills, b. Dec. 13, 1915.

WILLIAM R. BILLS (498)

Son of William W. Bills (463) & Eva Dawkins Bills.

Born Dec. 13, 1915.

Married Mary L. Powell. She was born Oct. 7, 1916.

Children:

- (499) Ann Bills, b. Jan. 11, 1944.
- (500) Virginia Lou Bills, b. June 3, 1948.



CHARLES WESLEY BILLS (464)

Son of Louella Gibbons Bills (454) & John Wesley Bills.

Born March 4, 1894.

Married Nellie Reece. She was born Nov. 15, 1894.

Children:

- (501) Marjorie Lucille Bills, b. Nov. 29, 1916.
- (502) Thurma May Bills, b. Apr. 15, 1918.
- (503) Donald Eugene Bills, b. May 28, 1921.
- (504) Geraldine Bills, b. July 14, 1926.

MARJORIE LUCILLE BILLS (501)

Daughter of Charles W. Bills (464) & Nellie Reece Bills.

Born Nov. 29, 1916.

Married Virgil Harlow.

Children:

- (505) Larry Keith Harlow, b. Nov. 27, 1939.
- (506) Lillian Sue Harlow, b. Jan. 2, 1942.

THURMA MAY BILLS (502)

Daughter of Charles W. Bills (464) & Nellie Reece Bills.

Born Apr. 15, 1918.

Married Harold Harlow.

Children:

- (507) Charlene Ann Harlow, b. Sept. 5, 1938.
- (508) Harold Dale Harlow, b. Jan. 1, 1947.
- (509) Danny Lynn Harlow, b. Jan. 9, 1950.
- (510) Patricia Jean Harlow, b. Aug. 11, 1952.

DONALD EUGENE BILLS (503)

Son of Charles W. Bills (464) & Nellie Reece Bills.

Born May 28, 1921.

Married Ruth Downey.

Children:

- (511) Donna Carol Bills, b. July 20, 1942.
- (512) Doris Jean Bills, b. May 27, 1946.

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Donald Eugene Bills (503) (Continued).

- (513) Ronald Lee Bills, b. June 3, 1947.
- (514) Billy Dean Bills, b. Mar. 10, 1948.
- (515) Kenneth Lee Bills, b. July 1, 1953.
- (516) Teresa Ann Bills, b. Nov. 20, 1955.

GERALDINE BILLS (504)

Daughter of Charles W. Bills (464) & Nellie Reece Bills.

Born July 14, 1926.

Married Lawrence McBrayer.

Children:

- (517) Betty June McBrayer, b. Aug. 18, 1941.
- (518) Mack Keith McBrayer, b. Mar. 22, 1943.
- (519) Gerald Lawrence McBrayer, b. Jan. 23, 1948.
- (520) Karen Sue McBrayer, b. Feb. 15, 1950.

CALVIN PRESLEY BILLS (465)

Son of Louella Gibbons Bills (454) & John Wesley Bills.

Born Sept. 25, 1896.

Married Mary Elizabeth Litton. She was born Mar. 24, 1899.

Children:

- (521) Marian Lee Bills, b. Jan. 30, 1924.

MARIAN LEE BILLS (521)

Daughter of Calvin Presley Bills (465) & Mary E. Litton Bills.

Born Jan. 30, 1924.

Married Ernest McDonald. He was born Oct. 18, 1920.

Children:

- (522) Martha Sue McDonald, b. Jan. 27, 1947.

EDWARD HARVEY WILSON (455)

Son of Harriette E. Cox Wilson (448) & William Burrel Wilson.

Born March 18, 1874. Died Feb. 14, 1940.

Married Flora Ethel Allnutt on Mar. 1, 1894. She was born Dec. 2, 1876. Died Nov. 10, 1955.

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Edward Harvey Wilson (455) (Continued).

Children:

- (523) Lena Ethel Wilson, b. Aug. 20, 1895.
- (524) Blanche Wilson, b. July 23, 1897.
Married Robert E. Whitlock.
- (525) Edwin Wilson, b. June 30, 1899.
- (526) Eva Lucile Wilson, b. Oct. 25, 1904.
- (527) Woodrow Wilson, b. Nov. 5, 1912.

LENA ETHEL WILSON (523)

Daughter of Edward Harvey Wilson (455) & Flora E. Allnut Wilson.

Born Aug. 20, 1895.

Married John Norman Arr on Feb. 10, 1918. He was born Dec. 1, 1896. Died Mar. 15, 1949.

Children:

- (528) Evelyn Marie Arr, b. Nov. 13, 1918.
- (529) Roland Norman Arr, b. June 11, 1923.
- (530) Merle Wilson Arr, b. Aug. 15, 1925.
- (531) Margaret Celeste Arr, b. Mar. 15, 1928.
- (532) David Ray Arr, b. July 11, 1935.

EVELYN MARIE ARR (528)

Daughter of Lena E. Wilson Arr (523) & John Norman Arr.

Born Nov. 13, 1918.

Married Richard Ernest Leake in 1936. He was born Feb. 17, 1917.

Children:

- (533) Marilyn Sue Leake, b. Aug. 7, 1937.
- (534) Marjorie Ann Leake, b. Mar. 2, 1942.

ROLAND NORMAN ARR (529)

Son of Lena E. Wilson Arr (523) & John Norman Arr.

Born June 11, 1923.

Married Willa Lee Jackson on June 29, 1942. She was born March 13, 1922.

Children:

- (535) James Norman Arr, b. Apr. 4, 1943.

MERLE WILSON ARR (530)

Son of Lena E. Wilson Arr (523) & John Norman Arr.

Born Aug. 15, 1925.

Married Ann Frances Mansfield on Mar. 6, 1945. She was born Oct. 6, 1924.

Children:

- (536) Thomas Norman Arr, b. May 6, 1947.
- (537) Timothy Patrick Arr, b. July 4, 1949.
- (538) Mary Ann Arr, b. Mar. 21, 1951.
- (539) Terence Michael Arr, b. Dec. 6, 1953.

MARGARET CELESTE ARR (531)

Daughter of Lena E. Wilson Arr (523) & John Norman Arr.

Born Mar. 15, 1928.

Married William Harvey Hoover on Dec. 26, 1946. He was born Aug. 19, 1925.

Children:

- (540) Lyle DeWayne Hoover, b. Feb. 7, 1948.
- (541) Arla Marie Hoover, b. Apr. 8, 1949.
- (542) Sharon Celeste Hoover, b. Oct. 5, 1952.
- (543) Linda Faye Hoover, b. Oct. 9, 1953.

EVA LUCILE WILSON (526)

Daughter of Edward Harvey Wilson (455) & Flora Allnut Wilson.

Born Oct. 25, 1904.

Married Howard Adam Wilson on Apr. 4, 1925. He was born Sept. 9, 1902. Not a relative.

Children:

- (544) Howard Edwin Wilson, b. July 23, 1932.
- (545) Garland Allen Wilson, b. Dec. 18, 1938.

WOODROW WILSON (527)

Son of Edward Harvey Wilson (455) & Flora Allnut Wilson.

Born Nov. 5, 1912. Died Jan. 14, 1940.

Married Marian Elizabeth Jackson. She was born May 31, 1913.

Children:

- (546) Donald Keith Wilson, b. May 16, 1936.

CHARLES WILLIAM WILSON (457)

Son of Harriette E. Cox Wilson (448) & William Burrel Wilson.

Born May 3, 1876.

Married Elizabeth Troeger on Dec. 17, 1899. She was born March 16, 1882.

Children:

- (547) Faye Wilson, b. Mar. 8, 1903.
- (548) Hazel Wilson, b. May 14, 1905.
- (549) Charles William Wilson, b. Jan. 24, 1908.
- (550) Elmer E. Wilson, b. July 22, 1916.
- (551) Ruth Wilson, b. Nov. 21, 1917.
- (552) Esther Wilson, b. July 23, 1919.

FAYE WILSON (547)

Daughter of Charles William Wilson (457) & Elizabeth Troeger Wilson,

Born Mar. 8, 1903.

Married Lester James Rose. He was born May 10, 1900.

Children:

- (553) Beatrice Earline Rose, b. July 17, 1922.
- (554) Pauline Elizabeth Rose, b. July 14, 1924.

BEATRICE EARLINE ROSE (553)

Daughter of Faye Wilson Rose (547) & Lester James Rose.

Born July 17, 1922.

Married Alexander Hogg. He was born Apr. 15, 1920.

Children:

- (555) Janice Carol Hogg, b. Mar. 28, 1946.

PAULINE ELIZABETH ROSE (554)

Daughter of Faye Wilson Rose (547) & Lester James Rose.

Born July 14, 1924.

Married Eugene Delbert Skolaut. He was born May 19, 1921.

Children:

- (556) Janet Faye Skolaut, b. Jan. 10, 1943.
- (557) Glenda Ann Skolaut, b. Nov. 6, 1948.
- (558) James Eugene Skolaut, b. Dec. 5, 1950.
- (559) John Dean Skolaut, b. Mar. 16, 1954.



HAZEL WILSON (548)

Daughter of Charles Wm. Wilson (457) & Elizabeth Troeger Wilson.

Born May 14, 1905.

Married Opal Stith. He was born June 24, 1897.

Children:

- (560) Delbert Roy Stith, b. Mar. 3, 1929.
- (561) Donald Wayne Stith, b. Apr. 9, 1931.
- (562) Wilda Irene Stith, b. Aug. 9, 1934.

DELBERT ROY STITH (560)

Son of Hazel Wilson Stith (548) & Opal Stith.

Born Mar. 3, 1929.

Married Dorothy Hinnen. She was born Nov. 28, 1932.

Children:

- (563) Donna Rose Stith, b. Sept. 3, 1954.

DONALD WAYNE STITH (561)

Son of Hazel Wilson Stith (548) & Opal Stith.

Born Apr. 9, 1931.

Married Jean Kiefer. She was born Sept. 17, 1933.

Children:

- (564) Michael Dwayne Stith, b. Oct. 27, 1953.
- (565) Donald Wayne Stith, b. Feb. 16, 1956.

WILDA IRENE STITH (562)

Daughter of Hazel Wilson Stith (548) & Opal Stith.

Born Aug. 9, 1934.

Married Floyd Ireland. He was born Apr. 8, 1931.

Children:

- (566) Carl Duane Ireland, b. Oct. 20, 1955.



CHARLES WILLIAM WILSON (549)

Son of Charles Wm. Wilson (457) & Elizabeth Troeger Wilson.

Born Jan. 24, 1908.

Married Juanita Street. She was born May 2, 1912.

Children:

- (567) Clifford Wayne Wilson, b. Aug. 20, 1932.
Married Barbara Moore. She was born May 1, 1937.
- (568) Gerald Raye Wilson, b. Sept. 9, 1936.
Married Carol Watkins.
- (569) Carol Elizabeth Wilson, b. Oct. 31, 1943.

ELMER E. WILSON (550)

Son of Charles Wm. Wilson (457) & Elizabeth Troeger Wilson.

Born July 22, 1916.

Married Katherine Cox. She was born Oct. 6, 1916.

Children:

- (570) Colleen Ann Wilson, b. Apr. 7, 1936.
- (571) Clara Dean Wilson, b. Feb. 19, 1938.
- (572) Gary Ray Wilson, b. July 19, 1941.

RUTH WILSON (551)

Daughter of Charles Wm. Wilson (457) & Elizabeth Troeger Wilson.

Born Nov. 21, 1917.

Married Robert McGuire Davidson on Mar. 18, 1935. He was born
Nov. 21, 1910.

Children:

- (573) Allie Marilyn Davidson, b. Dec. 21, 1935.

ESTHER WILSON (552)

Daughter of Charles Wm. Wilson (457) & Elizabeth Troeger Wilson.

Born July 23, 1919.

Married Fred Russell Laffey. He was born Dec. 31, 1917.

Children:

- (574) Fred Nelson Laffey, b. Mar. 12, 1939.
- (575) Forrest James Laffey, b. Mar. 19, 1941.
- (576) Donald Elton Laffey, b. Jan. 4, 1943.
- (577) Lowell Eugene Laffey, b. Jan. 16, 1948.



JAMES HENRY WILSON (458)

Son of Harriette E. Cox Wilson (448) & William Burrel Wilson.

Born Sept. 6, 1881. Died Dec. 16, 1937.

Married Della Gray Thompson on Mar. 9, 1902. She was born Oct. 25, 1883.

Children:

- (578) Raymond Russell Wilson, b. Nov. 5, 1903.
Married Mary Phillips. She was born Sept. 24, 1932.
- (579) Beulah Gladys Wilson, b. Feb. 26, 1906.
- (580) Inez Marie Wilson, b. Jan. 20, 1908.
- (581) Ralph Kenneth Wilson, b. July 10, 1911.
- (582) Reta May Wilson, b. Dec. 17, 1914.

BEULAH GLADYS WILSON (579)

Daughter of James Henry Wilson (458) & Della Thompson Wilson.

Born Feb. 26, 1906.

Married Earl Hardgrave on Dec. 24, 1924.

Children:

- (583) Earl Wayne Hardgrave, b. Feb. 17, 1926.
- (584) Wilford Ray Hardgrave, b. Feb. 16, 1928.
- (585) Carl Max Hardgrave, b. Oct. 15, 1930.
- (586) Donald Rex Hardgrave, b. May 2, 1933.
- (587) Marilyn Louise Hardgrave, b. Apr. 6, 1937.
Married George Nelson Lilly. He was born Oct. 9, 1936.
- (588) Martha Elaine Hardgrave, b. Sept. 6, 1939.
- (589) Bonnie Jean Hardgrave, b. Oct. 21, 1941.
- (590) Mary Susan Hardgrave, b. Dec. 13, 1943.

EARL WAYNE HARDGRAVE (583)

Son of Beulah Gladys Wilson Hardgrave (579) & Earl Hardgrave.

Born Feb. 17, 1926.

Married Emily Myers on Feb. 7, 1950.

Children:

- (591) Jeanie Lynn Hardgrave, b. Feb. 9, 1952.
- (592) Larry Earl Hardgrave, b. Mar. 15, 1953.



WILFORD RAY HARDGRAVE (584)

Son of Beulah Gladys Wilson Hardgrave (579) & Earl Hardgrave.

Born Feb. 16, 1928.

Married Phyllis Jean Crumpacker on June 14, 1948.

Children:

(593) Mary Louise Hardgrave, b. Dec. 15, 1952.

CARL MAX HARDGRAVE (585)

Son of Beulah Gladys Wilson Hardgrave (579) & Earl Hardgrave.

Born Oct. 15, 1930.

Married Ruby Huston on June 7, 1952.

Children:

(594) Carla Jean Hardgrave, b. Dec. 11, 1955.

RALPH KENNETH WILSON (581)

Son of James Henry Wilson (458) & Della Thompson Wilson.

Born July 10, 1911.

Married Clarissa Hicks on Jan. 1, 1933.

Children:

(595) Gerald Dean Gray Wilson, b. July 18, 1934.

(596) Richard James Wilson, b. Oct. 12, 1937.

RETA MAY WILSON (582)

Daughter of James Henry Wilson (458) & Della Thompson Wilson.

Born Dec. 17, 1914.

Married Robert Hershberger.

Children:

(597) Dixie Gray Hershberger, b. Jan. 31, 1937.

(598) Larry Lee Hershberger, b. July 5, 1946.

(599) Judy Ann Hershberger, b. July 3, 1947.

JOHN ISAAC WILSON (459)

Son of Harriette E. Cox Wilson (448) & William Burrel Wilson.

Born Apr. 2, 1878. Died Feb. 27, 1905.

Married Ida Young. She was born Sept. 20, 1879.

Children:

(600) Floyd Roy Wilson, b. May 18, 1900.

(601) Alta Lorene Wilson, b. Jan. 2, 1903.

FLOYD ROY WILSON (600)

Son of John Isaac Wilson (459) & Ida Young Wilson.

Born May 18, 1900.

Married Helen Zullig. She was born Mar. 5, 1905.

Children:

(602) Donald Richard Wilson, b. Feb. 28, 1923.

(603) Donna Rhea Wilson, b. June 27, 1929.

DONALD RICHARD WILSON (602)

Son of Floyd Roy Wilson (600) & Helen Zullig Wilson.

Born Feb. 28, 1923.

Married Gertrude Margaret Hoerath. She was born May 6, 1924.

Children:

(604) Floyd Steven Wilson, b. Nov. 13, 1947.

(605) John Randall Wilson, b. Dec. 13, 1951.

DONNA RHEA WILSON (603)

Daughter of Floyd Roy Wilson (600) & Helen Zullig Wilson.

Born June 27, 1929.

Married Richard Alvin Larson. He was born Dec. 19, 1928.

Children:

(606) Linda Gale Larson, b. May 15, 1954.

(607) Richard Ronald Larson, b. Feb. 17, 1956.



BENJAMIN FRANKLIN WILSON (460)

Son of Harriette E. Cox Wilson (448) & William Burrel Wilson.

Born Feb. 8, 1888.

Married Nora Ellen Boon. She was born July 30, 1888.

Children:

- (608) Oakla Marie Wilson, b. Jan. 4, 1907.
- (609) Carl Wesley Wilson, b. Feb. 12, 1908.
- (610) Shelby Franklin Wilson, b. Mar. 2, 1916.

OAKLA MARIE WILSON (608)

Daughter of Benjamin F. Wilson (460) & Nora E. Boon Wilson.

Born Jan. 4, 1907.

Married Methias Lauber.

Children:

- (611) Lester Lauber, b. Mar. 3, 1927.
- (612) Clinton Lauber, b. Nov. 26, 1929.
- (613) Deloras Ann Lauber, b. Dec. 22, 1932.
- (614) Evelyn Marie Lauber, b. Dec. 31, 1935.
- (615) Carolyn Joan Lauber, b. May 2, 1943.

CARL WESLEY WILSON (609)

Son of Benjamin F. Wilson (460) & Nora E. Boon Wilson.

Born Feb. 12, 1908.

Married Mabel Jensen.

Children:

- (616) Clarence Wilson, b. Jan. 18, 1934.
- (617) Willis Wilson, b. Apr. 29, 1937.
- (618) Erma Carlene Wilson, b. Dec. 6, 1944.

SHELBY FRANKLIN WILSON (610)

Son of Benjamin F. Wilson (460) & Nora E. Boon Wilson.

Born Mar. 2, 1916.

Married Agnes Katz.

Children:

- (619) Larry Dean Wilson, b. Aug. 18, 1938.
- (620) Ramona Marie Wilson, b. Mar. 8, 1942.
- (621) Dennis Eugene Wilson, b. Mar. 29, 1944.

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JANE M. COX (449)

Daughter of Isom J. Cox (52) & Elizabeth Littlepage Cox.

Born Aug. 30, 1855. Died Feb. or Mar. 1937.

Married C. H. Burns.

Children:

(622) Raymond Isom Burns, b. Nov. 22, 1887.
Married Mary M. Davis on Dec. 19, 1923.

Children:

(623) Mary Rae Burns.

(624) Ruth Burns, b. Oct. 31, 1890.

Married Fred Kinney on Feb. 24, 1909.

Children:

(625) Clarence Frederick Kinney.

(626) Olive Ruth Kinney.

(627) Wayne Eugene Kinney.

(628) Marilyn Kinney.

STERLING PRICE COX (450)

Son of Isom J. Cox (52) & Elizabeth Littlepage Cox.

Born Nov. 17, 1861. Died Nov. 17, 1943.

Twin of Charles Lee Cox (451).

Married Maud Viola Knaus on Mar. 20, 1899 in Chillicothe, Mo.

Children:

(629) Eugenia E. Cox, b. Jan. 29, 1902.

(630) Ruth Cox, b. Apr. 23, 1909.

(631) Manford Sterling Cox, b. Aug. 17, 1915.

EUGENIA ELIZABETH COX (629)

Daughter of Sterling P. Cox (450) & Maud V. Knaus Cox.

Born Jan. 29, 1902.

Married Everett Wiley Anderson on May 10, 1925.

Children:

(632) Reba Jean Anderson, b. Mar. 9, 1928.

(633) Ronald Everett Anderson, b. Oct. 25, 1939.



RUTH COX (630)

Daughter of Sterling P. Cox (450) & Maud V. Knaus Cox.

Born April 23, 1909.

Married Clyde Hargrave on March 24, 1945.

Children:

(634) Charles Wesley Hargrave, b. Apr. 1, 1948.

MANFORD STERLING COX (631)

Son of Sterling P. Cox (450) & Maud V. Knaus Cox.

Born Aug. 17, 1915.

Married Eva Christinson on June 7, 1939.

Children:

(635) John Sterling Cox, b. May 5, 1942.

(636) Norma Jean Cox, b. Jan. 28, 1949.

CHARLES LEE COX (451)

Son of Isom J. Cox (52) & Elizabeth Littlepage Cox.

Born Nov. 17, 1861. Died Aug. 6, 1951.

Twin of Sterling Price Cox (450).

Married Mary Raymond Manning on Jan. 19, 1896.

Children:

(637) Frank Leslie Cox, b. Sept. 11, 1898.

(638) Maude Alice Cox, b. July 17, 1901.

(639) Roy Lee Cox, b. Sept. 30, 1903.

FRANK LESLIE COX (637)

Son of Charles Lee Cox (451) & Mary Manning Cox.

Born Sept. 11, 1898.

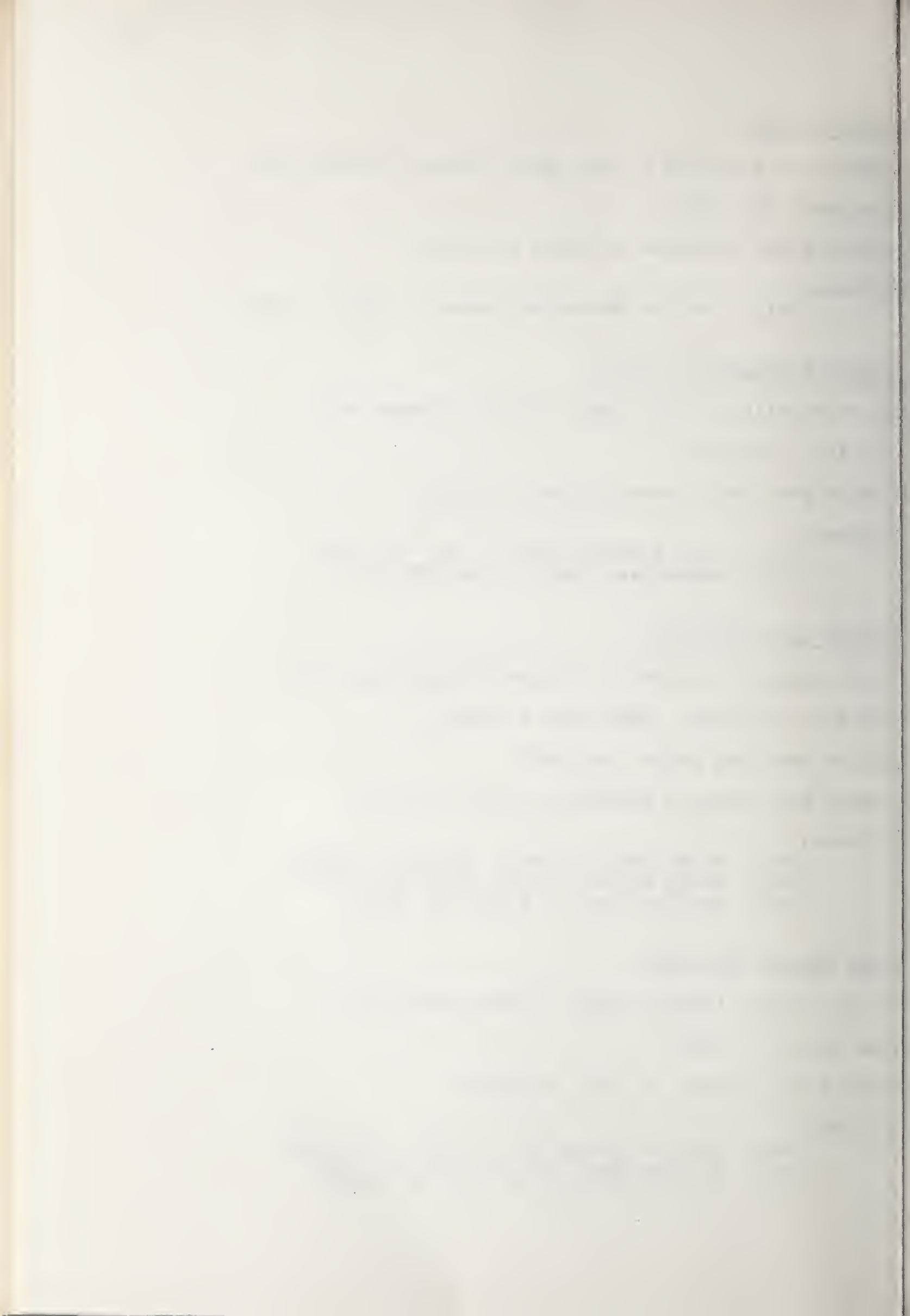
Married Sadie Berry on Dec. 18, 1919.

Children:

(640) Charles Leslie Cox, b. Mar. 26, 1925.

(641) William Earl Cox, b. Oct. 30, 1926.

(642) Vernon Lee Cox, b. Feb. 20, 1928.



MAUDE ALICE COX (638)

Daughter of Charles Lee Cox (451) & Mary Manning Cox.

Born July 17, 1901.

Married Lowell F. Forbis.

Children:

(643) James Russell Forbis, b. Jan. 14, 1926.

(644) Robert Eugene Forbis, b. June 17, 1935.

CHARLES LESLIE COX (640)

Son of Frank Leslie Cox (637) & Sadie Berry Cox.

Born Mar. 26, 1925.

(a)

Married/Olive Fern Cook on Apr. 7, 1947.

Children:

(645) Carolyn Sue Cox, b. July 11, 1948.

Married (b) Nina Grace Bowe Lewis on Dec. 11, 1953.

WILLIAM EARL COX (641)

Son of Frank Leslie Cox (637) & Sadie Berry Cox.

Born Oct. 30, 1926.

Married Doris Maxine Ireland on July 17, 1948.

Children:

(646) Randy Tim Cox, b. May 23, 1952.

VERNON LEE COX (642)

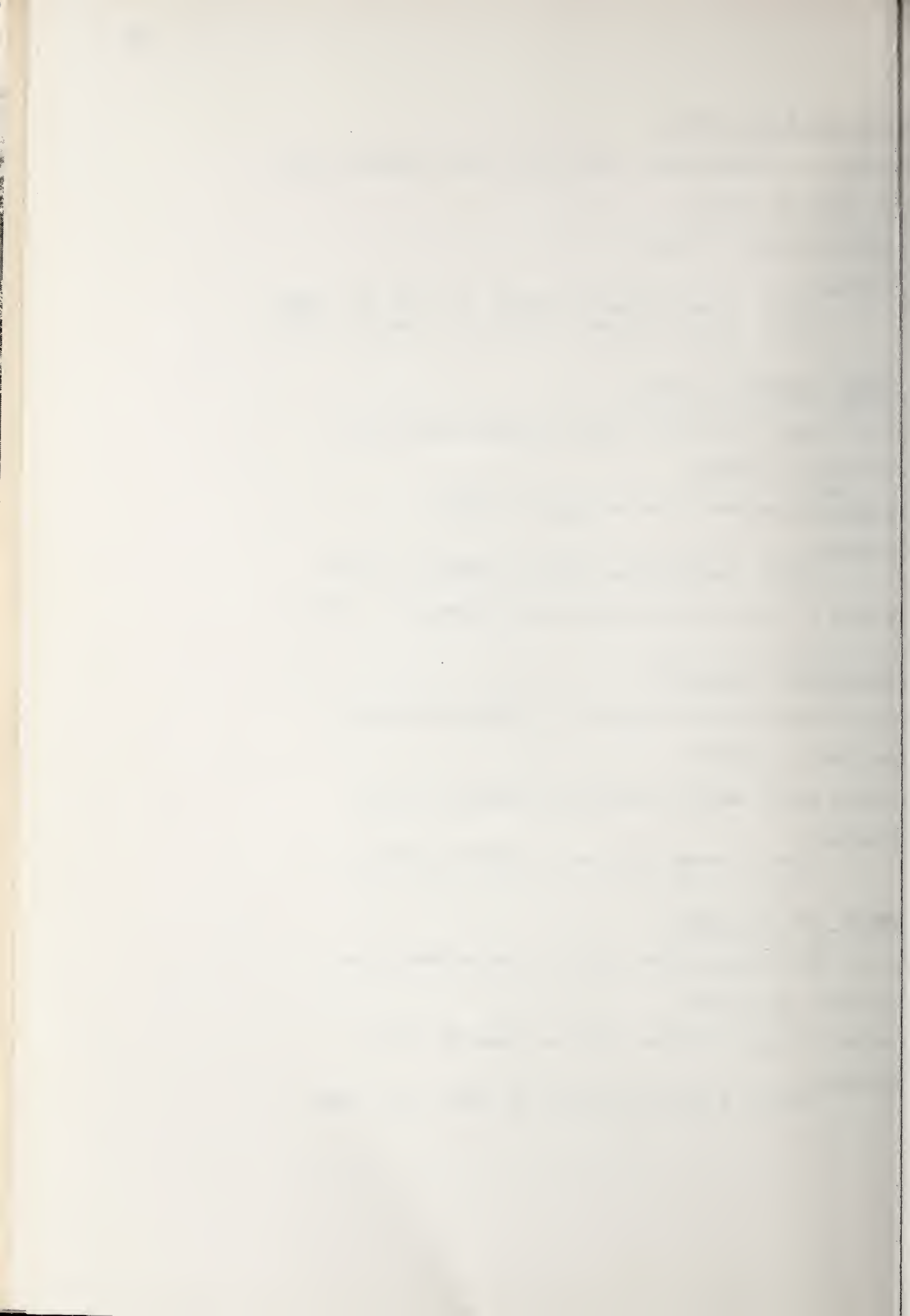
Son of Frank Leslie Cox (637) & Sadie Berry Cox.

Born Feb. 20, 1928.

Married Virginia Elaine Wood on June 22, 1951.

Children:

(647) Stephen Lee Cox, b. Sept. 30, 1953.



JOSEPH BEVERLY COX (452)

Son of Isom J. Cox (52) & Elizabeth Littlepage Cox.

Born Sept. 1864-65. Died about 1908. (Jones Cemetery,
Chillicothe, Mo.)

Married Lee A. Gill on March 31, 1896 in Chillicothe, Mo.

Children:

(648) Archie Cox, b. Aug. 10, 1899.
Died in World War I. (1918).



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A B E L C O X

S O N O F J O S E P H C O X



ABEL COX (53)

Son of Joseph Cox (35) and Amy Baker Cox.

Born March 19, 1818 in Ross Co., Ohio. Died Feb. 25, 1904.
(Anderson Cemetery, Chillicothe, Mo.)

Married Sarah M. Caldwell on Mar. 9, 1843. She was born
July 7, 1823 in Ohio. Died March 13, 1909.

Children:

(649) Joseph Alonzo Cox, b. Feb. 15, 1844.*

(650) Malissa Jane Cox, b. June 27, 1846.*

(651) Sarah Ann Cox, b. Aug. 6, 1848.

(652) John Cornelius Cox, b. Sept. 28, 1850.

(653) Nancy Cordelia Cox, b. Oct. 10, 1852.
Married Wm. E. Myers on Apr. 5, 1871.
Child:

(654) Minnie Myers (McGinnis).

(655) Mary Louisa Cox, b. Aug. 25, 1856.*

(656) Susan Alice Cox, b. Nov. 6, 1860.
Married Wm. D. Adams on May 1, 1879.

(* No further record of these children reported.
Believed to have died before marriage age.)

SARAH ANN COX (651)

Daughter of Abel Cox (53) & Sarah M. Caldwell Cox.

Born Aug. 6, 1848. Died April 10, 1922.

Married John W. Shotwell on July 12, 1866 in Livingston Co.,
Mo. He was born Feb. 9, 1845 in Clearmont Co., Ohio, the
son of Jasper Shotwell.

Children:

(657) Lillie Mae Shotwell, b. Spet. 9, 1867.

(658) George Wesley Shotwell, b. Jan. 2, 1869.

(659) Susan Cordelia Shotwell, b. Jun. 4, 1872.

(660) Abel Smith Shotwell, b. Sept. 18, 1874.

(661) Artie Christian Shotwell, b. Dec. 20, 1876.

(662) Ethel Millander Shotwell, b. Oct. 2, 1882.

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ARTIE CHRISTIAN SHOTWELL (661)

Son of Sarah Cox Shotwell (651) and John W. Shotwell.

Born Dec. 20, 1876.

Married Dora Bell Foley. She was born Dec. 6, 1878 in Springfield, Mo., the daughter of Mason Foley and Mary Warfield Baker Foley of Lexington, Ky.

Children:

- (663) Arthur Christian Shotwell, b. Oct. 27, 1901.
- (664) Ora Lee Shotwell, b. Oct. 25, 1911.

JOHN CORNELIUS COX (652)

Son of Abel Cox (53) and Sarah Caldwell Cox.

Born Sept. 28, 1850 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Married Amanda Minerva Squires on Feb. 27, 1876 in Livingston Co., Mo. She was born Nov. 25, 1854.

Children:

- (665) William Leslie Cox, b. Nov. 21, 1876.
- (666) Isom Walter Cox, b. Oct. 3, 1878.
- (667) Abel Cornelius Cox, b. Nov. 8, 1880.
- (668) Virgil Smith Cox, b. Sept. 18, 1884.

WILLIAM LESLIE COX (665)

Son of John C. Cox (652) & Amanda Squires Cox.

Born Nov. 21, 1876 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Married Jessie Snowden on April 7, 1917. She was born Feb. 11, 1880.

No children.

ISOM WALTER COX (666)

Son of John C. Cox (652) & Amanda Squires Cox.

Born Oct. 3, 1878 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Married Grace Gallatin.

Children:

- (669) Max Abel Cox, b. July 13, 1914.



MAX ABEL COX (669)

Son of Isom Walter Cox (666) & Grace Gallatin Cox.

Born July 13, 1914. (Living in Dallas, Texas in 1954.)

Married Mary Jane Phelps.

Children:

(670) Douglas Phelps Cox, b. Oct. 31, 1951.

ABEL CORNELIUS COX (667)

Son of John C. Cox (652) & Amanda Squires Cox.

Born Nov. 6, 1880 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Married Della Leota Cox (916), daughter of Isaac A. Cox (784)
and Amanda White Cox.

Children:

(671) Leota Ruth Cox, b. Sept. 25, 1913.

(672) Eldon A. Cox, b. Feb. 11, 1917.

LEOTA RUTH COX (671)

Daughter of Abel C. Cox (667) & Della Leota Cox (916).

Born Sept. 25, 1913.

Married Dr. Jack W. Triplett on Nov. 24, 1944.

No children.

ELDON A. COX (672)

Son of Abel C. Cox (667) & Della Leota Cox (916).

Born Feb. 11, 1917.

Married (a) Mary Hiatt _____ in Sept. 1934.

Children:

(673) Mary Patricia Cox, b. Dec. 19, 1935.

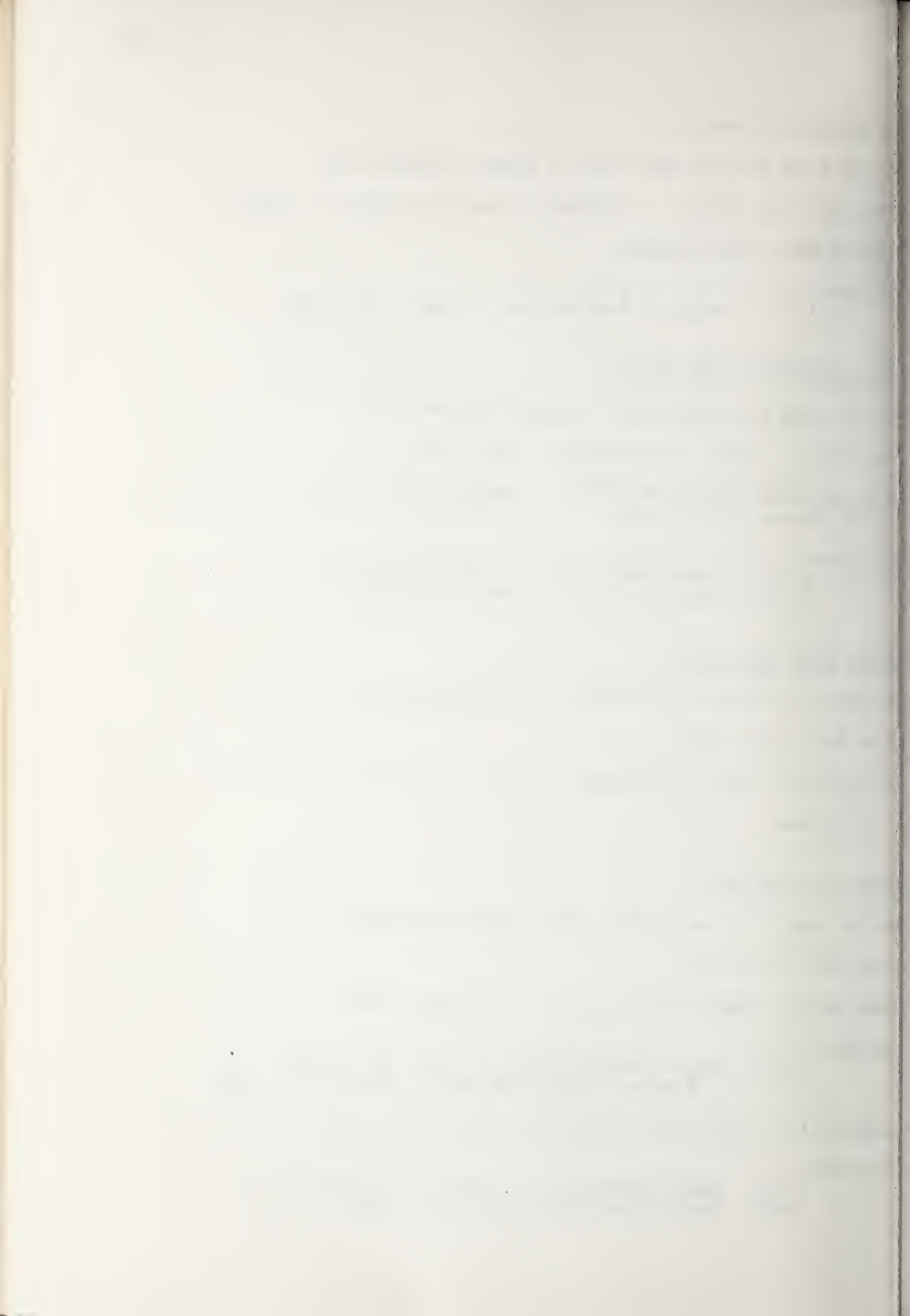
Married Norris Wilson on Sept. 27, 1953.

Married (b) Alma Jean Johnson on July 17, 1947.

Children:

(674) Gary Eldon Cox, b. Jan. 22, 1951.

(675) Daryl Lee Cox, b. Nov. 11, 1954.



VIRGIL SMITH COX (668)

Son of John C. Cox (652) & Amanda Squires Cox.

Born Sept. 18, 1884 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Married Edith Davis.

Children:

(676) Gregory Cox.

(677) Dennis Cox.

(678) Dale Cox.

(679) Don Cox.

(680) Lenora Cox. (Carter).

(681) Lorraine Cox. (Gibson).

(Above record listed as submitted by informant, but names may not be in proper order.)

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M A L I N D A C O X

D A U G H T E R O F J O S E P H C O X



MALINDA COX (55)

Daughter of Joseph Cox (35) and Amy Baker Cox.

Born Oct. 10, 1822 in Ray Co., Mo. Died Feb. 12, 1894.

Married Isaac Shriver on Dec. 17, 1846 in Livingston Co., Mo.
He was born Aug. 20, 1824 in Ohio. (Both Isaac and Malinda are buried in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas).

Moved from Missouri to Texas about 1853.

Isaac Shriver and Catherine Shriver, wife of Andy Baker Cox (57), were children of George and Catherine Shriver, both born in Pennsylvania, he in 1785 and she in 1795. Believed to have migrated to Ohio where Isaac was born in 1824, then to Indiana where Catherine was born in 1831. Also born in Indiana were Mary E. Shriver in 1833 and Hannah E. Shriver in 1838. Another possible son, George Shriver, was born in Ohio in 1828. See U. S. census records of 1840 and 1850.

Children of Malinda Cox Shriver and Isaac Shriver:

- (681) Joseph Valentine Shriver, b. Oct. 4, 1847.
- (682) Amy Catherine Shriver, b. Apr. 23, 1849.
- (683) Mary Jane Shriver, b. Mar. 21, 1851.
- (684) Lafayette Shriver, b. Mar. 18, 1854.
Died Sept. 19, 1864.
- (685) Jhoney Baker Shriver, b. Mar. 10, 1856.
Died Oct. 13, 1870.
- (686) Washington Franklin Shriver, b. July 5, 1858. (Twin).
Married Mary Nations. She was born June 27, 1880.
Marriage date Dec. 28, 1896. No children.
Washington Franklin Shriver died in Lordsburg,
New Mexico on Apr. 27, 1926.
- (687) Matilda Frances Shriver, b. July 5, 1858. (Twin).

JOSEPH VALENTINE SHRIVER (681)

Son of Malinda Cox Shriver (55) and Isaac Shriver.

Born Oct. 4, 1847 in Missouri. Died Dec. 4, 1906. (Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas).

Married Lydia Ransomer. She was born in 1859-60 in Illinois, the daughter of James and Annie Ransomer. She died March 5, 1950. Buried in Oklahoma City, Okla.

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Joseph Valentine Shriver (681) (Continued).

Children:

- (688) Clara Bell Shriver. (Died young).
- (689) Cora Lee Shriver, b. Nov. 18, 1885.
- (690) Dora May Shriver, b. May 8, 1887.
Married Halley Wood.
Children: Two boys; six girls.
- (691) Mary Ella Shriver, b. Mar. 12, 1889.
Married Mr. Hathcock.
Children: One daughter.
- (692) James Isaac Shriver, b. Mar. 17, 1891.
- (693) Emma Bell Shriver, b. Nov. 1, 1892.
Married E. B. Harris, Graham, Texas.
- (694) Joseph Andrew Shriver, b. Apr. 22, 1895.
- (695) Laura Geneva Shriver, b. May 30, 1897.
Married. Has one son.
- (696) Lula Gertrude Shriver, b. Nov. 23, 1899.
Married. Has five daughters.

CORA LEE SHRIVER (689)

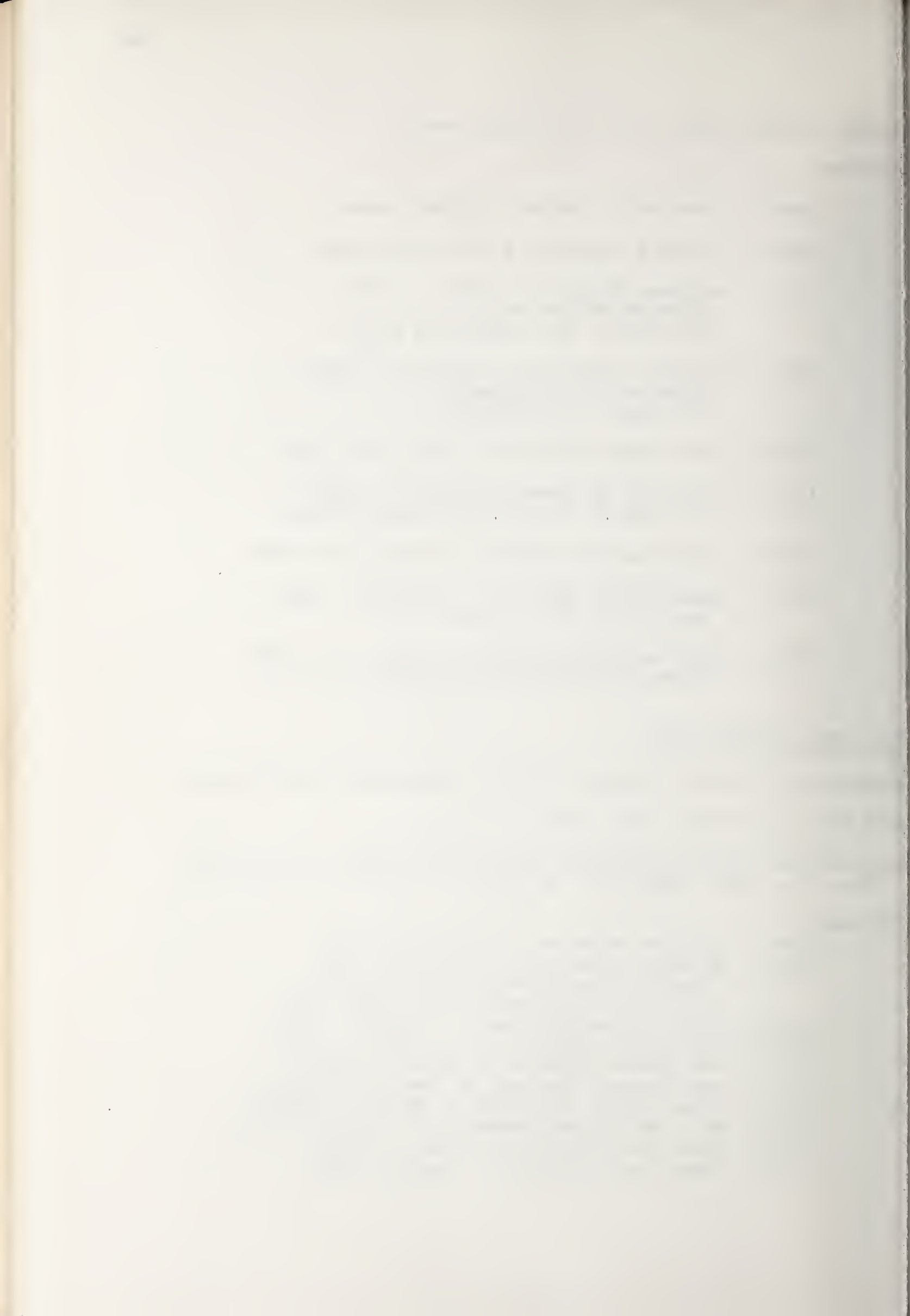
Daughter of Joseph V. Shriver (681) & Lydia Ransomer Shriver.

Born Nov. 18, 1885. Died Jan. 25, 1950.

Married Finis Blakley Roberts on Nov. 13, 1904. He was born Oct. 26, 1885. Died Aug. 17, 1946.

Children:

- (697) Euna Lea Roberts, b. Feb. 2, 1906.
- (698) La Verne Roberts, b. Apr. 14, 1908.
Married Roy Roberts, no relation.
(Living Independence, Mo., in 1955).
- (699) Finis Doyle Roberts, b. June 25, 1910.
- (700) Ernest Dalton Roberts, b. Jan. 9, 1912.
- (701) Joe Weldon Roberts, b. Feb. 7, 1914.
- (702) Mary Louise Roberts, b. Sept. 15, 1915.
- (703) Oscar Wilson Roberts, b. May 13, 1918.
- (704) William Shriver Roberts, b. July 18, 1921.
- (705) Alus Glenn Roberts, b. May 5, 1924.
- (706) Jerry Ray Roberts, b. Jan. 5, 1929.



MARY JANE SHRIVER (683)

Daughter of Malinda Cox Shriver (55) and Isaac Shriver.

Born Mar. 21, 1851 in Missouri. Died Aug. 24, 1948, age 97½.

Married Virgil P. Irwin. He was born Apr. 18, 1851. Died March 9, 1928.

Marriage date: July 28, 1878.

Both Mary Jane and Virgil are buried in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.

Children:

- (707) Flora Louise Irwin, b. June 14, 1879.
- (708) Van Eli Irwin, b. Dec. 13, 1880.
- (709) Florence Malinda Irwin, b. Mar. 24, 1882.
- (710) Pearl Beulah Irwin, b. May 24, 1884.
- (711) Emmet Virgil Irwin, b. Jan. 11, 1886.
- (712) Lela Mabel Irwin, b. Mar. 9, 1888.
- (713) Mary Jane Irwin, b. Dec. 9, 1889.
- (714) Elmer Franklin Irwin, b. Feb. 22, 1892.

FLORA LOUISE IRWIN (707)

Daughter of Mary J. Shriver Irwin (683) & Virgil P. Irwin.

Born June 14, 1879. (Living in Canyon, Texas in 1955).

Married Fleming David Campbell Middleton on Dec. 18, 1898. He was born Jan. 30, 1873. His mother, Mary Cox Middleton, was a daughter of Fleming Trigg Cox, the elder, no relation to the Joseph Cox family.

Children:

- (715) Mary Opal Middleton, b. Apr. 2, 1900.
Married M. P. Whitney on Aug. 26, 1931.
He was born Aug. 18, 1905.
Children:
 - (716) Mary Louise Whitney, b. Dec. 18, 1935.
Married John Stewart Boyland on Aug. 27, 1954.
- (717) Leron Oressel Middleton, b. May 12, 1903.
Died Aug. 20, 1942. (Unmarried).
- (718) John Calvin Middleton, b. Sept. 28, 1905.
Married Dezzie Bell Faulkner on Oct. 6, 1929.
She was born Oct. 21, 1906.
Children:
 - (719) Anita Maxine Middleton, b. Feb. 16, 1931. Died Dec. 8, 1933.

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Flora Louise Irwin (707) (Continued).

- (720) John Carroll Middleton, b. Dec. 22, 1934.
Married Glenda Lou Prather on June 5, 1955.
- (721) Dealva Loucille Middleton, b. Sept. 21, 1908.
Married Ralph Gordon Thompson on Dec. 25, 1930.
He was born Aug. 28, 1907.
Children:
 (722) Jerry Ralph Thompson, b. Apr. 3, 1944. (Twin).
 (723) Terry Gordon Thompson, b. Apr. 3, 1944. (Twin).
- (724) Willard Virgil Middleton, b. Nov. 11, 1911.
Married Mildred Elizabeth Holloway on July 4, 1937.
She was born May 24, 1917.
Children:
 (725) Don Ed Middleton, b. July 18, 1942.
 (726) Jan. Elizabeth Middleton, b. May 17, 1945.
- (727) Mildred Pearl Middleton, b. Nov. 24, 1913.
- (728) Polly Maxine Middleton, b. Feb. 15, 1916.
Married Robert Lawrence Black on Aug. 8, 1936.
He was born Oct. 9, 1915.
Children:
 (729) Joe David Black, b. Sept. 29, 1937.
 (730) Robert Larry Black, b. Jan. 23, 1940.
 (731) Julia Gayle Black, b. Jan. 15, 1947.
 (732) James Phillip Black, b. Sept. 29, 1950.
- (733) Royce Nelson Middleton, b. Apr. 29, 1918.
Married Margaret Elaine McGruder on Jan. 1, 1939.
She was born Sept. 17, 1920.
Children:
 (734) Janet Elaine Middleton, b. Nov. 8, 1939.
 (735) Ronald Royce Middleton, b. July 10, 1945.

VAN ELI IRWIN (708)

Son of Mary J. Shriver Irwin (683) & Virgil P. Irwin.

Born Dec. 13, 1880.

(Living in Oklahoma in 1955).

Married Clara Sutton. (Dec'd).

Children: Two sons.

FLORENCE MALINDA IRWIN (709)

Daughter of Mary J. Shriver Irwin (683) & Virgil P. Irwin.

Born Mar. 24, 1882. (Living in Long Beach, California in 1955.)

Married James Carlos Rodgers on Dec. 16, 1906. He was born Jan. 31, 1881.

Children:

(736) Clifford Harlan Rodgers, b. Dec. 4, 1907.

(737) Olga Jane Rodgers, b. Mar. 2, 1911.

PEARL BEULAH IRWIN (710)

Daughter of Mary J. Shriver Irwin (683) & Virgil P. Irwin.

Born May 24, 1884. (Living in San Diego, California in 1955.)

Married Orland C. Cowan on Oct. 23, 1904. He died Dec. 13, 1918.

Children:

(738) Nelms A. Cowan, b. Aug. 24, 1905. Died Jan. 2, 1919.

EMMET VIRGIL IRWIN (711)

Son of Mary J. Shriver Irwin (683) & Virgil P. Irwin.

Born Jan. 11, 1886.

Married Cora Renick. (Dec'd.)

Children: One daughter.

LELA MABEL IRWIN (712)

Daughter of Mary J. Shriver Irwin (683) & Virgil P. Irwin.

Born March 9, 1888 in Bell Co., Texas. (Living in North Hollywood California in 1956.)

Married Jesse Jackson Massengale on Dec. 6, 1908. He was born Jan. 31, 1888 in Georgetown, Texas. Died Feb. 5, 1935. Buried in Tahoka, Texas.

Children:

(739) Vernon Irwin Massengale, b. July 20, 1911.
Married Helen Hackbarth on Dec. 28, 1954.

(740) Alma Faye Massengale, b. Nov. 4, 1916.
Married William J. Welser, Jr., on June 16, 1940.
Children:

(741) Bruce Wm. Welser, b. Feb. 1, 1951.



MARY JANE IRWIN (713)

Daughter of Mary J. Shriver Irwin (683) & Virgil P. Irwin.

Born Dec. 9, 1889.

Married Luther M. Jespersen on Dec. 2, 1920. He died May 10, 1941.

Children:

(742) Harry Robert Jespersen, b. 1924.

(743) Mary Odessa Jespersen, b. 1925.

Married Samuel Gagian on Mar. 31, 1945.

Children:

(744) Neil Allen Gagian, b. Feb. 16, 1947.

(745) Deborah Dee Gagian, b. May 13, 1949.

(746) Rodney Wayne Gagian, b. Aug. 27, 1952.

(747) Esther Joyce Jespersen, b. 1926.

Married Raymond Carlin on Oct. 26, 1946.

Children:

(748) Patrick Gene Carlin, b. July 30, 1951.

(749) Sandra Rae Carlin, b. Apr. 7, 1955.

ELMER FRANKLIN IRWIN (714)

Son of Mary J. Shriver Irwin (683) & Virgil P. Irwin.

Born Feb. 22, 1892. (Living in Corpus Christi, Texas in 1955).

Married. One son.

AMY CATHERINE SHRIVER (682)

Daughter of Malinda Cox Shriver (55) and Isaac Shriver.

Born Apr. 23, 1849 in Missouri. Died about 1950, age 101, at Rosebud, Texas.

Married Pinckney H. Bailey on Dec. 20, 1869.

Children:

(750) Robert L. Bailey, b. about 1870. (Unmarried).

(751) Isaac Bailey, b. about 1872. (Unmarried).

(752) Newt Bailey, b. about 1878.

(753) Luther Bailey.

(754) George Bailey. (Aquilla, Texas.)

(755) Alex Bailey. (Tyler, Texas.)

(756) Minnie Bailey. (Mrs. Alvin Mitchell, Rosebud, Tex.)

(757) Myrtle Bailey. (Mrs. Fred Litzman, Waco, Tex.)

A newspaper report of Amy Catherine Shriver Bailey's 100th birthday party, about 1949, states that she had nine children, forty grandchildren, sixteen great grandchildren and two great, great grandchildren.







Matilda Frances Shriver (687)
1858-1882
(Mrs. Charles McKnight Sprott)



Luveney Sprott (758)
(Mrs. John Hardy Swope)

MATILDA FRANCES SHRIVER (687)

Daughter of Malinda Cox Shriver (55) & Isaac Shriver.

Born July 5, 1858 in Texas. Died Oct. 26, 1882.

Married Charles McKnight Sprott. He was born Dec. 18, 1850.
Died May 2, 1927.

Children:

(758) Luveney Sprott, b. Oct. 5, 1882.

LUVENEY SPROTT (758)

Daughter of Matilda F. Shriver Sprott (687) & Charles M. Sprott.

Born Oct. 5, 1882. (Living in Belton, Texas in 1956.)

Married John Hardy Swope on Apr. 23, 1903. He was born January 27, 1880.

Children:

(759) Eva Lee Swope, b. Feb. 27, 1904.
(Living in Odessa, Texas in 1956.)

(760) Mittie Swope, b. Mar. 7, 1906.
(Living in Corpus Christie, Texas in 1956.)
Married (a) Maurice Smith. (Dec'd.)
Married (b) W. C. Allen on June 18, 1955.

(761) Eunice Swope, b. Jan. 19, 1909.
Married Leslie Huff on Aug. 30, 1930.
Children:

(762) Norma Jean Huff, b. Dec. 7, 1931.
Married Clyde Howard Gordon.
Children:

(763) Clyde Howard Gordon, Jr.
b. Nov. 18, 1954.

(764) Richard Lynn Huff, b. Oct. 16, 1935.

(765) David Huff, b. Nov. 28, 1938.

(766) Leslie Geo. Huff, b. Jan. 14, 1945.

(767) Charles Hardy Swope, b. Oct. 30, 1911.
Married Mozelle Husung on Nov. 28, 1940.
(Living in Temple, Texas in 1956.)



S E C T I O N V I I I

H I R A M W A S H I N G T O N C O X

S O N O F J O S E P H C O X



HIRAM WASHINGTON COX (56)

Son of Joseph Cox (35) and Amy Baker Cox.

In the narrative section of this book it is stated that no record of Hiram Washington Cox could be found. In early 1956, however, the author was successful in being put in contact with John Alfred Graves of Aztec, New Mexico, a great grandson of Hiram Washington Cox, who furnished the following data.

Born Jan. 26, 1824 in Ray Co., Mo. Died Dec. 16, 1888.

Married Nancy Allard on Feb. 11, 1849 in Hopkins County, Texas.
She was born Aug. 14, 1836. Died Jan. 28, 1900.

Children:

(768) John S. Cox, b. Feb. 8, 1858. Died Apr. 9, 1927.
Married (a) Jennie Campbell. Died 1882.
Married (b) Jane Smith. Died 1893.

(769) Nancy Belle Cox, b. Apr. 17, 1860.

(770) James Allard Cox, b. Apr. 23, 1864.
Married Georgie Byrd on June 18, 1892.
She was born Oct. 14, 1871.

NANCY BELLE COX (769)

Daughter of Hiram Washington Cox (56) & Nancy Allard Cox.

Born Apr. 17, 1860. Died May 4, 1933.

Married Alfred Graves. He was born Jan. 1, 1852. Died Mar. 2, 1909.

Children:

(771) Matilda Graves, b. Aug. 18, 1875. (Twin.)
(772) Mary Jane Graves, b. Aug. 18, 1875. (Twin.)
Died May 31, 1941.
(773) John Davis Graves, b. April 19, 1877.
(774) Bruce Graves, b. Aug. 11, 1879. Died Feb. 1937.
(775) Laura Graves, b. Apr. 7, 1881. Died June 29, 1904.
(776) Washington Graves, b. Apr. 7, 1883. Died Aug. 28, 1912.

JOHN DAVIS GRAVES (773)

Son of Nancy Belle Cox Graves (769) and Alfred Graves.

Born April 19, 1877. Died May 15, 1940.

Married Ethel Smith on Oct. 24, 1901.

Children:

(777) John Alfred Graves, b. Apr. 13, 1907.
(778) Sherma Effie Graves, b. Aug. 10, 1913.



JOHN ALFRED GRAVES (777)

Son of John Davis Graves (773) and Ethel Smith Graves.

Born April 13, 1907. (Living in Aztec, New Mexico in 1956.)

Married Jane M. Howe on July 17, 1929. She was born Feb. 6, 1907.

No children.

SHERMA EFFIE GRAVES (778)

Daughter of John Davis Graves (773) and Ethel Smith Graves.

Born Aug. 10, 1913.

Married Ed Smith on Jan. 23, 1934. He was born Aug. 17, 1912.

Children:

(779) Dixie Lee Smith, b. Aug. 16, 1936.

(780) Eugene Smith, b. Sept. 4, 1944.

"Nancy Allard, daughter of Aaron Hardin Allard and Polly Weaver, born in Northern Missouri, came to Hopkins County, Texas, in the early 1840's. Married in Hopkins County to Hiram WASH Cox. Moved to Erath County in 1856 when the county was organized. Moved to New Mexico in 1874 with their cattle - 30,000 head - to a newer country. First wagon ever taken into that county (San Juan County). Largest herd of cattle ever taken out of Erath County at one time. Were four months on the way. Cattle rustlers very bad during those days and Wash Cox paid \$10,000.00 ransom for the leader, dead or alive. One of his own band killed him for the reward.

"One son drowned in the Animas River at the age of 17.

"She and her husband lived with their daughter, Nancy Belle Graves, the last years of their lives, and are buried at Cedar Hill, New Mexico, near the old Cox crossing on the river."

----From an Allard family history.

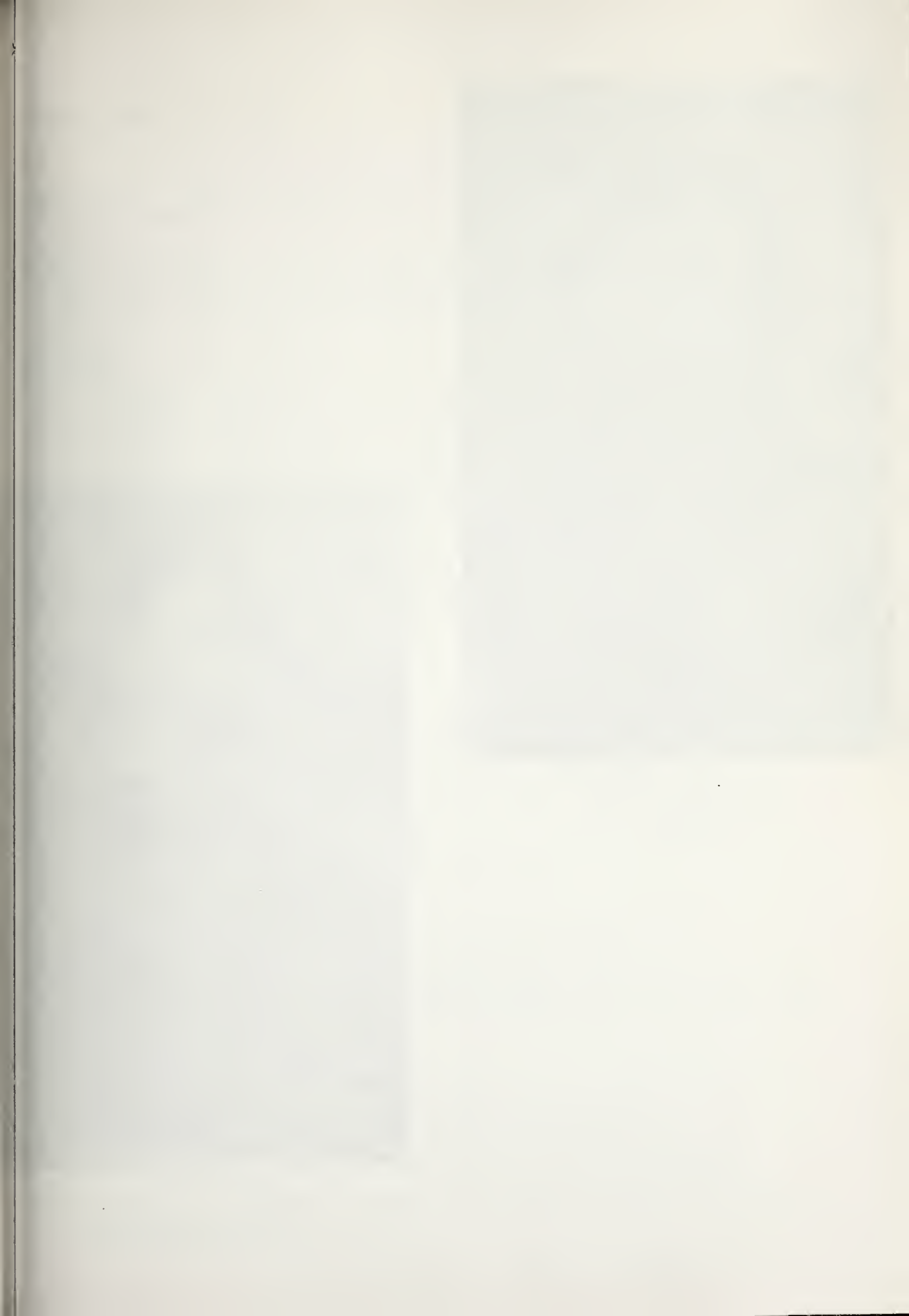


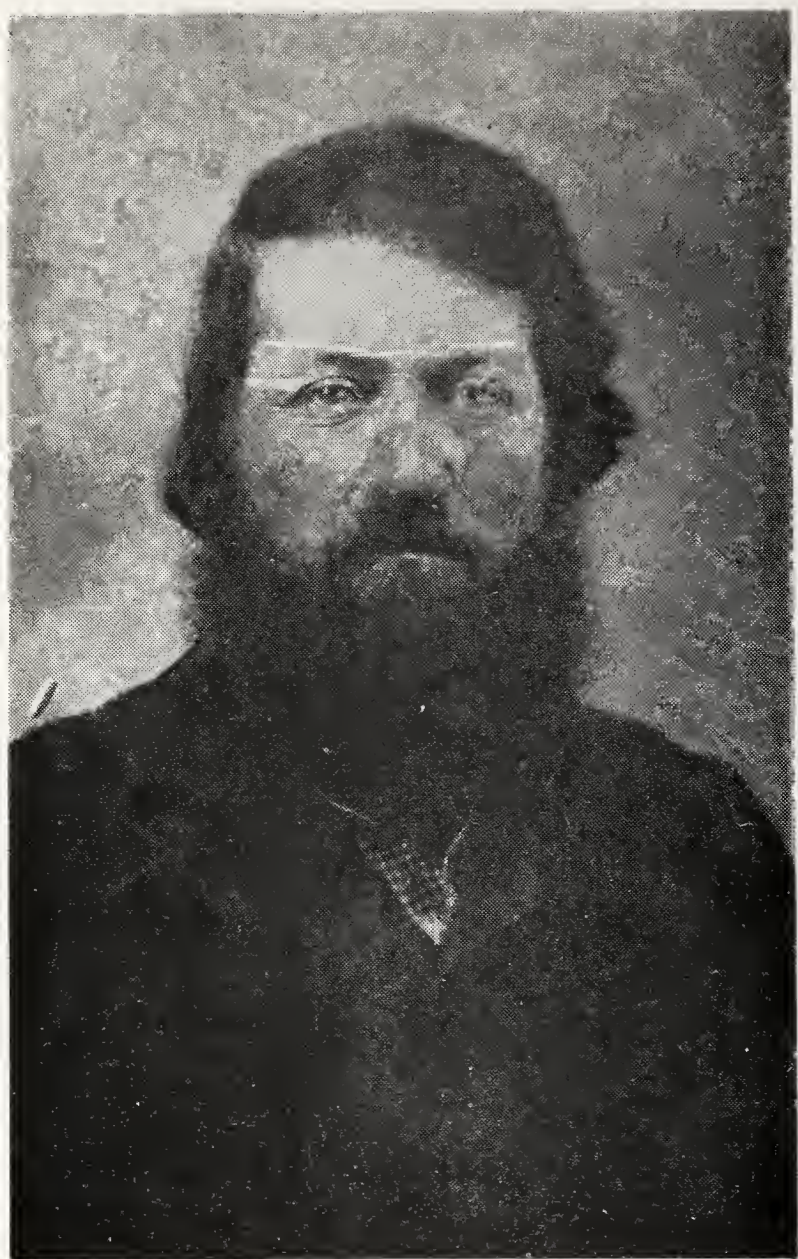
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A N D R E W B A K E R C O X

S O N O F J O S E P H C O X







Andrew Baker Cox (57)
1828-1871



Catherine Ann Shriver
(Mrs. Andrew Baker Cox)
1831- ?

ANDREW BAKER COX (57)

Son of Joseph Cox (35) and Amy Baker Cox.

Born July 6, 1828 in Ray Co., Mo. Died Oct. 20, 1871.
(Jones Cemetery, Chillicothe, Mo.)

Married Catherine Ann Shriver on April 22, 1847 in Livingston Co., Mo. She was born in Indiana in 1831, and was a sister of Isaac Shriver who married Andy Baker Cox's sister, Malinda Cox (55). See section Malinda Cox Shriver.

Children:

- (781) William Alonzo Cox, b. Mar. 3, 1848.
- (782) George W. Cox, b. Jan. 21, 1850. (Died young ?)
- (783) Joseph Allen Cox, b. Feb. 12, 1852.
- (784) Isaac A. Cox, b. June 3, 1854.
- (785) Mary Elizabeth Cox, b. Mar. 27, 1857.
- (786) Sarah E. Cox, b. June 27, 1859.
- (787) John H. Cox, b. Aug. 12, 1861.
- (788) Martha J. Cox, b. June 8, 1864.

Andy Baker Cox died at age 43. His widow Catherine married Joseph Wolfskill in Chillicothe, Mo., on Sept. 9, 1879, and they moved to California. She lived the later years of her life in Sebastopol, California.

WILLIAM ALONZO COX (781)

Son of Andy Baker Cox (57) & Catherine Shriver Cox.

Born Mar. 3, 1848 in Livingston Co., Mo. Died April 21, 1921.

Married Eliza Ann Beasley on Mar. 25, 1869. She was born Nov. 30, 1854. Died Mar. 25, 1934.

Both in Anderson Cemetery, Chillicothe, Mo.

Children:

- (789) Joseph Oscar Cox, b. Nov. 5, 1872.
- (790) Ira Beasley Cox, b. Apr. 15, 1875.
- (791) Charles Etna Cox, b. Dec. 16, 1877.
- (792) Alta May Cox, b. May 6, 1884. Died Jan. 27, 1888.
- (793) Alonzo Earl Cox, b. Feb. 5, 1890.

JOSEPH OSCAR COX (789)

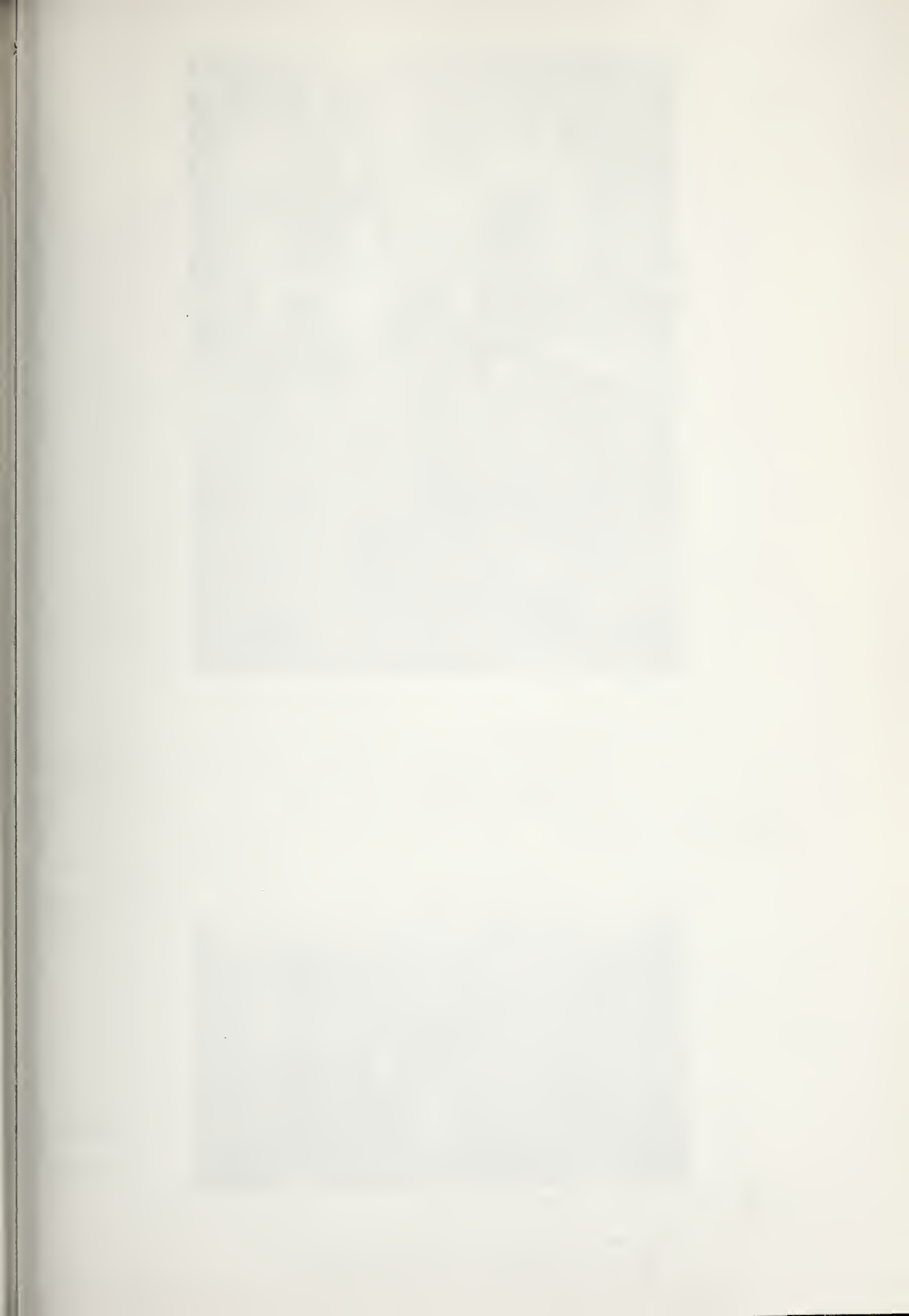
Son of William Alonzo Cox (781) & Eliza Beasley Cox.

Born Nov. 5, 1872. (Living in Chillicothe, Mo., in 1956.)

Married Nellie D. Roberts on Jan. 20, 1895 in Chillicothe, Mo. She was born March 16, 1877.

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Left to right:
 Mr. and Mrs. Isaac A. Cox (784)
 Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Cox (783)
 Third couple unknown.
 Mr. and Mrs. William Alonzo Cox (781)



Mr. and Mrs. John C. Cox (652) at their farm
 home near Chillicothe, Mo. Third person
 unknown.

Joseph Oscar Cox (789) (Continued).

Children:

- (794) Lloyd Jessie Cox, b. Dec. 6, 1895.
- (795) Thomas Alonzo Cox, b. Jan. 27, 1897.
- (796) Agnes Fay Cox, b. Oct. 25, 1898.
- (797) Guy Etna Cox, b. Oct. 12, 1900.
Married Anne _____.
No children.
- (798) Edith Irene Cox, b. Jan. 27, 1903.
Married Charles Kaufman.
No children.
- (799) Claude Raymond Cox, b. Oct. 31, 1906.
- (800) Glen Russell Cox, b. Dec. 18, 1911.
- (801) Clifford Eugene Cox, b. Nov. 30, 1915.
Married Margaret _____.
No children.
- (802) Lois Juanita Cox, b. Feb. 15, 1921.
Married Joel Firmin.
No children.

LLOYD JESSIE COX (794)

Son of Joseph Oscar Cox (789) & Nellie Roberts Cox.

Born Dec. 6, 1895 in Livingston Co., Mo. (Living in Rochester, N. Y. in 1956.)

Married (a) Corinne H. Hibbs. She died Aug. 14, 1945.

Children:

- (803) Mary Ann Cox, b. Mar. 28, 1932. Died June 30, 1953.
Married Joseph B. Turcotte on Jan. 6, 1951.
Child:
(804) Thomas B. Turcotte, b. Oct. 10, 1951.
- (805) Elizabeth M. Cox, b. July 18, 1934.

Married (b) Vere M. Guenther, b. Nov. 23, 1905.

Children:

- (806) Linda L. Cox, b. Apr. 23, 1948. Died Feb. 28, 1949.



THOMAS ALONZO COX (795)

Son of Joseph Oscar Cox (789) & Nellie Roberts Cox.

Born Jan. 27, 1897 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Married Nancy _____.

Children:

(807) Mary Ann Cox.

AGNES FAY COX (796)

Daughter of Joseph Oscar Cox (789) & Nellie Roberts Cox.

Born Oct. 25, 1898 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Married Leroy Sherrow on Oct. 25, 1917. He was born Apr. 1, 1892.

Children:

(808) Gladys Maxine Sherrow, b. Apr. 23, 1920.
Married Gilbert Udell Mason on Dec. 10, 1937.
He was born May 26, 1917.
Children:

(809) Nancy Jeanne Mason, b. Feb. 24, 1939.

(810) Meredith Elaine Mason, b. Nov. 15, 1940.

(811) Harold Leroy Sherrow, b. May 26, 1922.
Married Irene Barnes on Nov. 13, 1942.
She was born May 25, 1923.
Children:

(812) Patricia Ann Sherrow, b. May 26, 1945.

(813) Douglas Barnes Sherrow, b. Mar. 4, 1948.

(814) Melvin Eugene Sherrow, b. June 23, 1924.
Married Ann Kubot on July 29, 1944.
Children:

(815) Linda Jeanne Sherrow, b. June 30, 1947.

(816) Annette Elaine Sherrow, b. Feb. 26, 1950.

(817) Donald Leon Sherrow, b. June 30, 1926.
Married Mildred Eichelberger on Sept. 4, 1949.
Children:

(818) Donnafae Kathleen Sherrow, b. July 15, 1951.



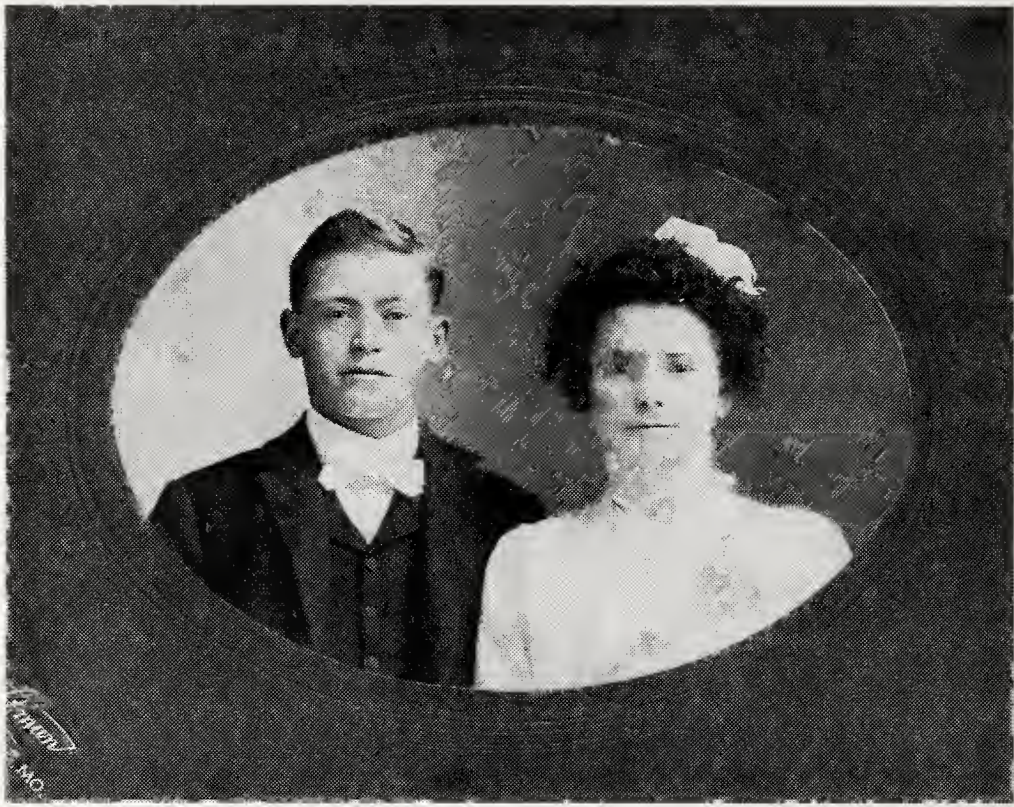




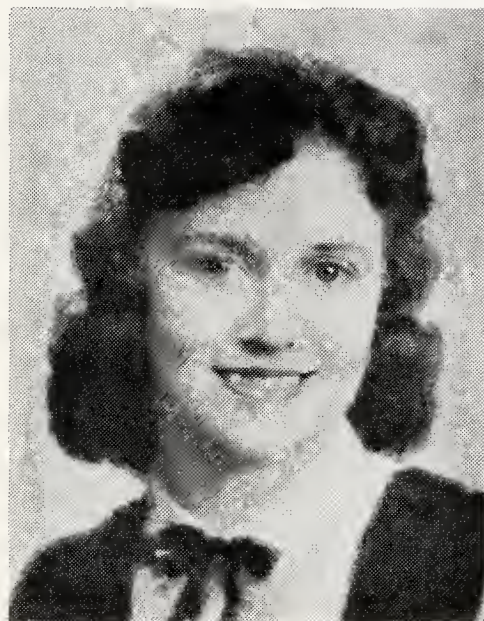
Martha Marie Cox (841)



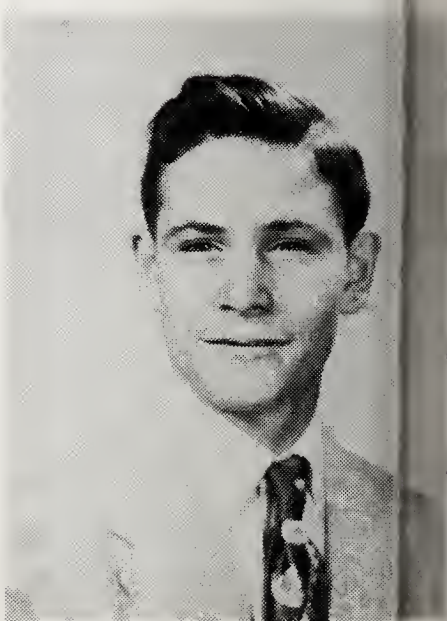
Bessie Marie Milstead (84)



Ira Beasley Cox (790) 1875-1951
and wife
Bessie May Cornelius Cox



Donna Jean Gastineau (838)



Joseph Donald Earl (83)

CLAUDE RAYMOND COX (799)

Son of Joseph Oscar Cox (789) & Nellie Roberts Cox.

Born Oct. 31, 1906. (Living in Kansas City, Mo., in 1956.)

Married (a) Inez C. Perry on May 29, 1930.

Children:

(819) Perry Donald Cox, b. Mar. 13, 1931.
Married Avonelle Leuthen on Feb. 11, 1951.

(820) Jerry Lee Cox, b. July 31, 1934.

Married (b) Lena Marie McTheeters on July 3, 1943.

Children:

(821) Mary Ann Cox, b. Jan. 31, 1947.
(822) Daniel Dean Cox, b. Mar. 23, 1949.

GLEN RUSSELL COX (800)

Son of Joseph Oscar Cox (789) & Nellie Roberts Cox.

Born Dec. 18, 1911 in Grundy Co., Mo. (Living in Mooresville, Mo. in 1955.)

Married Georgia Irene Gordon on Jan. 21, 1932. She was born
March 1, 1911.

Children:

(823) Billy Joe Cox, b. Aug. 13, 1932.
(824) Betty June Cox, b. Oct. 5, 1933.
(825) Bobby Lee Cox, b. Dec. 6, 1934.
(826) Barbara Jean Cox, b. Feb. 17, 1936.
(827) Beverly Ann Cox, b. Mar. 5, 1938.
(828) Larry Dean Cox, b. Feb. 25, 1941.

IRA BEASLEY COX (790)

Son of William Alonzo Cox (781) & Eliza Beasley Cox.

Born April 15, 1875 in Livingston Co., Mo. Died Sept. 27, 1951.
(Highland Cemetery, Hamilton, Mo.)

Married Bessie May Cornelius on June 18, 1902. She was born July
27, 1883 in Macon Co., Mo.

Children:

(829) Eva Marie Cox, b. Sept. 13, 1904.
(830) Stanley Medford Cox, b. Apr. 19, 1907.
(831) Forrest Raymond Cox, b. July 27, 1910.
(832) Helen Louise Cox, b. May 28, 1915.
(833) Roger Ray Cox, b. Nov. 3, 1918.
(834) Marjorie Lee Cox, b. Apr. 22, 1922.



EVA MARIE COX (829)

Daughter of Ira B. Cox (790) & Bessie Cornelius Cox.

Born Sept. 13, 1904 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Married Cloren Arthur Earl on Dec. 4, 1926. He was born Nov. 14, 1897. (Living near Breckenridge, Mo., in 1956.)

Children:

(835) Thomas Eugene Earl, b. Oct. 8, 1936.

(836) Joseph Donald Earl, b. Jan. 19, 1939.

STANLEY MEDFORD COX (830)

Son of Ira B. Cox (790) & Bessie Cornelius Cox.

Born April 19, 1907 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Married Eunice B. Shirkey on Nov. 28, 1935. She was born Feb. 10, 1908.

Living in Kansas City, Mo., in 1956.

No children.

FORREST RAYMOND COX (831)

Son of Ira B. Cox (790) & Bessie Cornelius Cox.

Born July 27, 1910 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Married Sylvia Hubbard of Kansas City, Mo.

Living in Squaw Lake, Minnesota in 1956.

No children.

HELEN LOUISE COX (832)

Daughter of Ira B. Cox (790) & Bessie Cornelius Cox.

Born May 28, 1915 in Chillicothe, Mo.

Married J. W. Gastineau on Apr. 12, 1933. He was born Feb. 11, 1911. (Living near Cowgill, Mo., in 1956.)

Children:

(837) Billy Dean Gastineau, b. Oct. 5, 1934.

(838) Donna Jean Gastineau, b. Jan. 17, 1939.

(839) Patricia Ann Gastineau, b. Oct. 28, 1944.



BILLY DEAN GASTINEAU (837)

Son of Helen L. Cox Gastineau (832) & J. W. Gastineau.

Born Oct. 5, 1934.

Married Mary Jo Curp on May 16, 1954.

Children:

(840) Connie Sue Gastineau, b. Sept. 16, 1955.

ROGER RAY COX (833)

Son of Ira B. Cox (790) & Bessie Cornelius Cox.

Born Nov. 3, 1918 in Utica, Mo. (Living in Des Moines, Iowa in 1956.)

Married Martha Ann Butler on Jan. 10, 1942 in St. Louis, Mo.

Children:

(841) Martha Marie Cox, b. July 11, 1943.

(842) Roger Ira Cox, b. July 9, 1946.

(843) Carol Ann Cox, b. Apr. 29, 1948. (Twin).

(844) Susan Ann Cox, b. Apr. 29, 1948. (Twin).

(845) Bette Jo Cox, b. Feb. 9, 1951.

MARJORIE LEE COX (834)

Daughter of Ira B. Cox (790) & Bessie Cornelius Cox.

Born Apr. 22, 1922 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Married Harold DeSales Milstead on July 4, 1943.

(Living in Leonardtown, Maryland in 1956.)

Children:

(846) Bessie Marie Milstead, b. Sept. 23, 1946.

(847) Harold DeSales Milstead, Jr., b. July 21, 1951.

(848) Daniel Lee Milstead, b. Aug. 5, 1952.

(849) Billy Ray Milstead, b. July 13, 1954.

CHARLES ETNA COX (791)

Son of William Alonzo Cox (781) & Eliza Beasley Cox.

Born Dec. 16, 1877 in Livingston Co., Mo. (Living in Chillicothe, Mo., in 1956).

Married Mabel C. Meador on Jan. 1, 1902. She was born July 4, 1883.

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Charles Etna Cox (791) Continued).

Children:

- (850) Gladys Ethel Cox, b. Nov. 5, 1910.
- (851) Mabel Irene Cox, b. Mar. 7, 1913.
- (852) Ruby Alma Cox, b. July 10, 1918.

GLADYS ETHEL COX (850)

Daughter of Charles E. Cox (791) & Mabel Meador Cox.

Born Nov. 5, 1910 in Livingston Co., Mo. (Living in Danville, Illinois in 1954.)

Married Douglas Turner.

Children:

- (853) James Carrol Turner, b. Dec. 4, 1935.
- (854) Georgia Ruth Turner, b. Sept. 14, 1938.
- (855) Thomas Nelson Turner, b. Apr. 24, 1945.
- (856) Robert Turner, b. Jan. 8, 1947.

MABEL IRENE COX (851)

Daughter of Charles E. Cox (791) & Mabel Meador Cox.

Born Mar. 7, 1913 in Livingston Co., Mo. (Living in Chicago, Ill., in 1954.)

Married Salvatore P. Picerno.

Children:

- (857) Janet Irene Picerno, b. June 20, 1948.
- (858) Carolyn Anne Picerno, b. Aug. 5, 1950.

RUBY ALMA COX (852)

Daughter of Charles E. Cox (791) & Mabel Meador Cox.

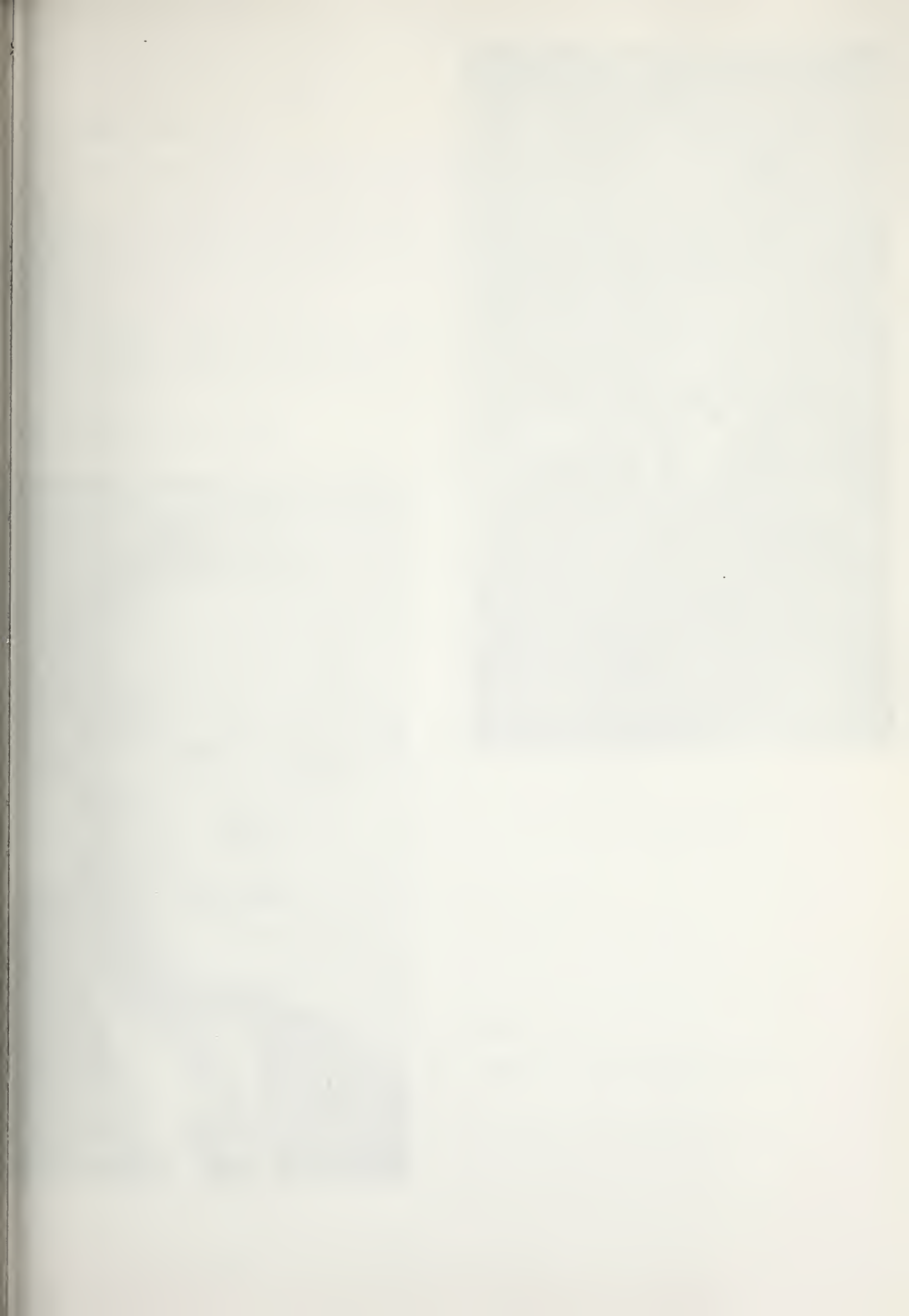
Born July 10, 1918 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Married James Raymond Gallaher.

Children:

- (859) Kenneth Raymond Gallaher, b. Feb. 7, 1943.







Alonzo Earl Cox (793)
1890-1951



William Allen Cox (867)
1874-

ALONZO EARL COX (793)

Son of William Alonzo Cox (781) & Eliza Beasley Cox.

Born Feb. 25, 1890 in Livingston Co., Mo. Died July 19, 1951.
(Edgewood Cemetery, Chillicothe, Mo.)

Married Maude Haines on Sept. 23, 1915. She was born Aug. 24, 1887.

Children:

- (860) Mary Catherine Cox, b. Apr. 1, 1920.
- (861) Howard Earl Cox, b. Dec. 3, 1921.
- (862) Donald Elbert Cox, b. Feb. 3, 1927.

MARY CATHERINE COX (860)

Daughter of Alonzo Earl Cox (793) & Maude Haines Cox.

Born Apr. 1, 1920 in Chillicothe, Mo. (Living in Plattsburg, Mo., in 1956.)

Married James Edward Stipe on Oct. 31, 1947.

Children:

- (863) Rosemary Stipe, b. June 10, 1953.

HOWARD EARL COX (861)

Son of Alonzo Earl Cox (793) & Maude Haines Cox.

Born Dec. 3, 1921 in Chillicothe, Mo. (Living in Alton, Ill., in 1956.)

Married Dorothy Elizabeth Eads on Apr. 1, 1945.

Children:

- (864) Robert Eads Cox, b. Jan. 19, 1950.
- (865) Karen Elizabeth Cox, b. July 25, 1952.

DONALD ELBERT COX (862)

Son of Alonzo Earl Cox (793) & Maude Haines Cox.

Born Feb. 3, 1927 in Chillicothe, Mo. (Living in Detroit, Mich., in 1956.)

Married Marian Lucille Ott on July 24, 1954 in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Children:

- (866) James Earl Cox, b. June 22, 1956.

JOSEPH ALLEN COX (783)

Son of Andy Baker Cox (57) & Catherine Shriver Cox.

Born Feb. 12, 1852 in Livingston Co., Mo. Died Jan. 23, 1930.

Married Percilla Cooper on Mar. 13, 1873 in Livingston Co., Mo.
She was born Aug. 17, 1859. Died Jan. 12, 1921.

Both buried in Anderson Cemetery, Chillicothe, Mo.

Children:

- (867) William Allen Cox, b. Jan. 5, 1874.
- (868) Stella Cox, b. 1878. Died 1899.
- (869) Grace Lee Cox, b. Oct. 5, 1882.
- (870) Sarah Cathrine Cox, b. Oct. 21, 1886.
- (871) Arthur Julius Cox, b. Dec. 9, 1891.

WILLIAM ALLEN COX (867)

Son of Joseph A. Cox (783) & Percilla Cooper Cox.

Born Jan. 5, 1874. (Living in Tacoma, Wash., in 1955.)

Married Mary Ann Kennedy on Dec. 16, 1896 in Chillicothe, Mo.
She was born Mar. 18, 1877.

Children:

- (872) Ethel Leona Cox, b. Nov. 18, 1901.
Married Harland Raymond Bailey on Oct. 15, 1927.
No children.
- (873) Floyd Clifton Cox, b. Feb. 24, 1904.
- (874) Jessie Grace Cox, b. Nov. 28, 1906.
- (875) Doyle Kennedy Cox, b. Jan. 5, 1913.
- (876) Cleo Juanita Cox, b. Dec. 5, 1916.
Married Thomas Rice Lyon on Mar. 16, 1940.
No children.

FLOYD CLIFTON COX (873)

Son of William Allen Cox (867) & Mary Kennedy Cox.

Born Feb. 24, 1904 in Trenton, Mo. Died July 10, 1955 in
Tacoma, Wash.

Married Edith Lavon Daugherty on July 1, 1923 in Lewiston,
Idaho. She was born Mar. 20, 1904.

Children:

- (877) Garth Daugherty Cox, b. Mar. 26, 1924.
- (878) Norman Lee Cox, b. Feb. 5, 1930.



JESSIE GRACE COX (874)

Daughter of William Allen Cox (867) & Mary Kennedy Cox.

Born Nov. 28, 1906 in Leahy, Wash. (Living in Lewiston, Idaho in 1955.)

Married Edwin Joseph Peterson on July 23, 1923. He was born July 15, 1901.

Children:

(879) Donna Mae Peterson, b. Apr. 28, 1924.

Married George Vernon White on June 3, 1946.

He was born Oct. 17, 1922.

Children:

(880) Vicki Lea White, b. Feb. 3, 1950.

(881) Thomas Allen White, b. Dec. 9, 1952.

(882) William Edwin Peterson, b. Feb. 3, 1926.

Married Donna Jean Shares on June 3, 1951.

She was born June 7, 1933.

Children:

(883) Barbara Jean Peterson, b. Dec. 26, 1952.

DOYLE KENNEDY COX (875)

Son of William Allen Cox (867) & Mary Kennedy Cox.

Born Jan. 5, 1913 in Leahy, Wash.

Married Margaret Helen Morris on Aug. 18, 1938. She was born June 24, 1920.

Children:

(884) Margaret Ann Cox, b. Mar. 9, 1940.

(885) Loran Glen Cox, b. Nov. 11, 1943.

(886) Lola Marlene Cox, b. Aug. 18, 1945.

GRACE LEE COX (869)

Daughter of Joseph A. Cox (783) & Percilia Cooper Cox.

Born Oct. 5, 1882. (Living in Chillicothe, Mo., in 1955.)

Married John Wilber Overton on Oct. 5, 1899. He was born Oct. 22, 1879. Died Aug. 10, 1917.

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Grace Lee Cox (869) (Continued).

Children:

- (887) Henry Lee Overton, b. Aug. 22, 1900.
- (888) Stella Faye Overton, b. Apr. 17, 1904.
- (889) Lena Fern Overton, b. Mar. 13, 1911.

HENRY LEE OVERTON (887)

Son of Grace Cox Overton (869) & John Wilber Overton.

Born Aug. 22, 1900.

Married Hattie Lena Foster on Feb. 25, 1924. She was born Dec. 19, 1902.

Children:

- (890) Donald Lee Overton, b. Mar. 8, 1941.

STELLA FAYE OVERTON (888)

Daughter of Grace Cox Overton (869) & John Wilber Overton.

Born April 17, 1904.

Married (a) Terham Renfiew Anderson on Feb. 2, 1927.

Children:

- (891) Marjorie Grace Anderson, b. July 11, 1928.
Married Donald Lee Cobb on Aug. 14, 1945.
He was born Mar. 27, 1926.
Children:
 - (892) Teri Lee Cobb, b. Nov. 14, 1946.
 - (893) Robt. Douglas Cobb, b. July 18, 1952.

Married (b) William Bruce Merritt on Nov. 30, 1933.
He was born June 2, 1896.

Children:

- (894) Naoma Faye Merritt, b. June 25, 1935.
- (895) Anna Lee Merritt, b. Feb. 21, 1938.

LENA FERN OVERTON (889)

Daughter of Grace Cox Overton (869) & John Wilber Overton.

Born March 13, 1911.

Married Adrian Olene Woods on Mar. 3, 1930. He was born June 25, 1909.

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Lena Fern Overton (889) (Continued).

Children:

- (896) Ruth Laverne Woods, b. Dec. 27, 1930.
Married Charley Ray Dawson on July 15, 1950.
He was born Jan. 2, 1931.

SARAH CATHRINE COX (870)

Daughter of Joseph Allen Cox (783) & Percilla Cooper Cox.

Born Oct. 21, 1886. (Living in Laredo, Mo., in 1954).

Married Edward Earl Lape on June 9, 1909. He was born Aug. 4, 1886.

Children:

- (897) Clyde Arles Lape, b. June 29, 1910.
Married Luella Reeder on Apr. 20, 1939.
She was born Apr. 13, 1919.
Children:
(898) Dickie Lee Lape, b. June 5, 1940.
(899) Chas. Edward Lape, b. Oct. 5, 1943.
- (900) Donald Earl Lape, b. Nov. 27, 1922.
Married Angela Weiberg on Mar. 14, 1943.
She was born Dec. 13, 1922.
Children:
(901) Mary Ann Lape, b. Dec. 5, 1943.
(902) Donald Edward Lape, b. Jan. 1, 1946.
(903) Robert Arthur Lape, b. Sep. 18, 1947.
(904) Betty Cathrine Lape, b. Dec. 17, 1949.
(905) Patricia Louise Lape, b. July 22, 1952.
- (906) Betty Ann Lape, b. Nov. 10, 1929.
Married James Melvin Boylan on May 6, 1950.
He was born Feb. 16, 1929.
Children:
(907) Jimmie Melvin Boylan, b. Mar. 23, 1954.

ARTHUR JULIUS COX (871)

Son of Joseph A. Cox (783) & Percilla Cooper Cox.

Born Dec. 9, 1891.

Married Thora Bell Nichols on May 20, 1911. She was born May 5, 1893.

Children:

- (908) Mildred Pauline Cox, b. May 14, 1912.
Married Dr. Henry M. Cuneo, on July 30, 1940.
- (909) William Joseph Cox, b. Jan. 6, 1914.
Married Mildred Womack on Feb. 14, 1953.



ISAAC A. COX (784)

Son of Andy Baker Cox (57) & Catherine Shriver Cox.

Born June 3, 1854 in Livingston Co., Mo. Died Aug. 15, 1927 in Kansas City, Mo.

Married Amanda N. White on Mar. 22, 1877. She was born Sept. 7, 1861. Died Aug. 19, 1942.

Children:

- (910) Bertha Viola Cox, b. Feb. 25, 1878.
- (911) Elizabeth Catherine Cox, b. Mar. 31, 1880.
- (912) Andrew H. Cox, b. June 16, 1882.
- (913) John H. Cox, b. Feb. 9, 1884.
- (914) Mary J. Cox, b. Aug. 22, 1886.
- (915) James A. Cox, b. Oct. 23, 1888. Died Nov. 8, 1888.
- (916) Della Leota Cox, b. Mar. 13, 1890.
- (917) Infant twins, born and died Sept. 15, 1892.
- (918) Anna Blanche Cox, b. Mar. 19, 1894. Died Dec. 27, 1894.
- (919) Claude E. Cox, b. Feb. 20, 1896.
- (920) Walter E. Cox, b. Feb. 27, 1900.
- (921) Joseph C. Cox, b. May 24, 1904. Died May 20, 1946.

ANDREW H. COX (912)

Son of Isaac A. Cox (784) & Amanda White Cox.

Born June 16, 1882.

Married (a) Cleo Hamblin in November, 1902.

Children:

- (922) Clarence E. Cox, b. Dec. 19, 1903.
- (923) Ruby Evelyn Cox, b. Aug. 24, 1906.
- (924) Marion E. Cox, b. May 25, 1910.

Married (b) Audeen Patricia Morris in July, 1943.

CLARENCE E. COX (922)

Son of Andrew H. Cox (912) & Cleo Hamblin Cox.

Born Dec. 19, 1903.

Married Georgia _____.

Children:

- (925) David E. Cox, b. Oct. 9, 1938.
- (926) Charlotte Cox, b. Dec. 16, 1939.



RUBY EVELYN COX (923)

Daughter of Andrew H. Cox (912) & Cleo Hamblin Cox.

Born Aug. 24, 1906.

Married Wm. A. Rosenthal.

Children:

- (927) Billy Rosenthal, b. Oct. 30, 1926.
Killed in Okinawa, May 10, 1945.

MARION E. COX (924)

Son of Andrew H. Cox (912) & Cleo Hamblin Cox.

Born May 25, 1910.

Married Margaret Meyers in March, 1933.

Children:

- (928) Mary Kathryn Cox, b. 1947.
Died in infancy.

JOHN H. COX (913)

Son of Isaac A. Cox (784) & Amanda White Cox.

Born Feb. 9, 1884.

Married (a) Gertrude Shumate on Oct. 15, 1921. She died
March 28, 1922.

Married (b) Wretha Kritser on Nov. 26, 1926.

Children:

- (929) Wretha Lorraine Cox, b. Oct. 6, 1928.
(930) John Richard Cox, b. Sept. 11, 1933.

WRETHA LORRAINE COX (929)

Daughter of John H. Cox (913) & Wretha Kritser Cox.

Born Oct. 6, 1928.

Married Dennis Maxwell on Sept. __, 1952.

Children:

- (931) John Dennis Maxwell, b. Apr. 7, 1955.



DELLA LEOTA COX (916)

Daughter of Isaac A. Cox (784) & Amanda White Cox.

Born Mar. 13, 1890.

Married Abel C. Cox (667) on Nov. 11, 1911.

Their children listed in Abel Cox (53) section.

CLAUDE E. COX (919)

Son of Isaac A. Cox (784) & Amanda White Cox.

Born Feb. 20, 1896.

Married (a) Grace Burns in June, 1916.

Children:

(932) Mary Jo Cox, b. Sept. 12, 1920.

Married (b) Alice Wallace. She died in August, 1946.

Married (c) Ruth Bonnell on Sept. 15, 1947.

MARY ELIZABETH COX (785)

Daughter of Andy Baker Cox (57) & Catherine Shriver Cox.

Born Mar. 27, 1857 in Livingston Co., Mo. Died Dec. 6, 1919
in Santa Rosa, California.

Married Charles Etna Rosebrough on Mar. 7, 1878 in Livingston
Co., Mo. He was born July 31, 1857. Died March 8, 1928
in Sebastopol, California.

Children:

(933) Evalena G. M. Rosebrough, b. Mar. 8, 1880.

(934) John William Rosebrough, b. Dec. 17, 1883.

EVALENA G. M. ROSEBROUGH (933)

Daughter of Mary Cox Rosebrough (785) & Charles E. Rosebrough.

Born Mar. 8, 1880 in Chillicothe, Mo. (Living in Berkeley, Calif.,
in 1956.)

Married (a) Frank H. Willson on Nov. 30, 1902.

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Evalena G. M. Rosebrough (933) (Continued).

Children:

(935) Lillian Theresa Willson, b. Nov. 8, 1903.
Died Apr. 15, 1950.

Married Herbert H. Ham on June 11, 1922.

Children:

(936) Ray H. Ham.

Married Nancy Stanton Jun. 1, 1948.

Child:

(937) Sandra Joy Ham,
b. Mar. 11, 1950.

Married (b) Don T. Campbell on Mar. 22, 1942.

JOHN WILLIAM ROSEBROUGH (934)

Son of Mary Cox Rosebrough (785) & Charles E. Rosebrough.

Born Dec. 17, 1883 in Cloverdale, Calif.

Married Lillian J. Goddard on Apr. 25, ____.

Children:

(938) Lloyd Rosebrough, b. Apr. 9, ____.

(939) Eleanor Rosebrough, b. Mar. 5, ____.

SARAH E. COX (786)

Daughter of Andy Baker Cox (57) & Catherine Shriver Cox.

Born June 27, 1859 (birthdate also given as June 30, 1860) in
Livingston Co., Mo. Died Feb. 11, 1892 in Sonoma Co., Calif.
(Cloverdale Cemetery).

Married Jaba Beasley on Mar. 30, 1876. He was born Jan. 4, 1857.
Died Mar. 9, 1941. He was a brother of Eliza Ann Beasley who
married William Alonzo Cox (781).

Children:

(940) Russell L. Beasley, b. May 6, 1882.

Married Cynthia Eleanor Yeager on July 29, 1905.

Children:

(941) Pauline Cynthia Beasley, b. Oct.
15, 1906.

(942) Ronald Russell Beasley, b. Dec.
30, 1908. He has daughter,

(943) Eleanor Kay Beasley, b.
about 1941.

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Sarah E. Cox (786) (Continued).

Children:

(944) Bessie C. Beasley, b. Dec. 27, 1887.
Married William Bertram Corrick on Oct. 14, 1908.
Children:

(945) Gerald Bertram Corrick, b. Dec. 21, 1909.
Married Pearl Rosenbaum on Apr. 23, 1931.
Children:

(946) Saryl Corrick, b. Mar. 16, 1933.
Married Edward Van der Porten
on June 27, 1954.

(947) Douglas William Corrick, b.
Aug. 4, 1944.

JOHN H. COX (787)

Son of Andy Baker Cox (57) & Catherine Shriver Cox.

Born Aug. 12, 1861 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Married (a) Elvira Gibbons (453), daughter of Harriette Elizabeth Cox Gibbons (448) and Nathan Gibbons, on Jan. 1, 1882 in Chilli-cothe, Mo. She was killed by lightning near Humansville, Mo., in 1888.

Children:

(948) Harriette Cox, b. 1884.
Married Frank Darr.
Children:

(949) Inez Darr.
(950) Hiram Darr.

(951) Sterling Cox, b. 1886. (Died young.)

(952) Charles W. Cox, b. May 16, 1887.
Married Gertrude M. Will on Nov. 12, 1916.

Married (b) Cynthia E. Duckworth on Aug. 15, 1889.

Children:

(953) James Cox.
(954) Nova Cox. (Died in infancy.)

Married (c) _____.

Children:

(955) Mamie M. Cox, b. July 3, 1903.
(956) Viola M. Cox, b. Mar. 6, 1907.
(957) Arthur Cox, b. Dec. 23, 1908.
(958) Gladys Cox, b. Mar. 1, 1913.
(959) Goldie Cox, b. Apr. 2, 1915.
(960) Oscar Cox, b. Feb. 26, 1917.
(961) Florence Cox, b. Nov. 30, 1919.



MARTHA J. COX (788)

Daughter of Andy Baker Cox (57) & Catherine Shriver Cox.

Born June 8, 1864 in Livingston Co., Mo.

Married Almond D. Eastlick on July 16, 1882 in Chillicothe, Mo.
He was born Dec. 8, 1852.

They lived in California.

Children:

(962) Clarence E. Eastlick, b. June 6, 1883.

(963) Augusta E. Eastlick, b. June 20, 1885.

(964) Dora B. Eastlick, b. Feb. 26, 1887.

(965) Scott W. Eastlick, b. Feb. 3, 1890.

(966) Mabel L. Eastlick, b. Apr. 22, 1893.

S E C T I O N X

W I L L I A M H U G H C O X

S O N O F J O S E P H C O X



WILLIAM HUGH COX (58)

Son of Joseph Cox (35) and Amy Baker Cox.

Born May 26, 1830 in Ray County, Mo.

No further positive identification. Livingston County history mentions a William Cox, son, as a survivor when Joseph Cox died. Not mentioned in the letters of administration on the Joseph Cox estate.

U. S. census of 1860, Livingston Co., Mo., lists William Cox, born in Missouri, between Isom Cox (52) and Allen Lile, who married Mary Cox (50), and the numbers denoting the order in which the families were visited by the census taker indicates that the three families lived on adjoining farms. William Cox, in 1860, gave his age as 28. According to his birthdate he would have been 30, but such discrepancies were not unusual in those days. He listed his family as follows:

(Wife) Martha A. (Walker?) Cox, age 26.

(967) Sarah J. Cox, age 8.

(968) Rachel S. Cox, age 6.

(969) Mary E. Cox, age 5.

(970) William R. Cox, age 4.

(971) Malinda C. Cox, age 1.

William Hugh Cox is said to have moved to Caldwell County, Missouri. It is thought that many of his descendants are still in that area, but no response has been received to requests for information.

The names of two possible grandchildren have been reported by other sources:

(972) Joseph Cox.

(973) James Cox.



S E C T I O N X I

N I C A J A N E C O X

D A U G H T E R O F J O S E P H C O X

LETTER

TO THE HONORABLE SENATE

OF THE UNITED STATES

NICA JANE COX (59)

Known as Nancy Jane and Neco Jane. Census of 1850 lists name as Nica Jane Cox.

Daughter of Joseph Cox (35) and Amy Baker Cox.

Born July 12, 1834 in Missouri. Died Apr. 19, 1916 in Bell County, Texas.

Married Samuel Hampton Cox. He was born Sept. 3, 1831. Died March 3, 1918. Both are buried in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.

Samuel Hampton Cox was the eldest son of Fleming Trigg Cox and Mary Guinevera (Leigh) Cox, both born in Whitley Co., Kentucky. The family is believed to have gone to Missouri from Kentucky, and later, about 1851, to Texas. So far as is known the two Cox families were not related.

Children:

- (974) William Marion Cox, b. Oct. 30, 1854.
- (975) Andrew Hampton Cox, b. 1856.
- (976) Martha Malinda Cox, b. 1858.
- (977) Mary Cox, b. about 1860.
- (978) Fleming Trigg Cox, b. 1862.
- (979) Samuel David Cox, b. Dec. 20, 1864.
- (980) John E. Cox, b. Nov. 7, 1866. Died Nov. 7, 1869.
- (981) Columbus Alonzo Cox, b. Feb. 13, 1869.
- (982) D. Stockton Cox, b. Feb. 6, 1871. Died Dec. 22, 1892.
(Unmarried).
- (983) Hannah Jane Cox, b. Dec. 21, about 1872.
- (984) Perry Sterling Ashby Cox, b. July 17, 1875.
- (985) Elizabeth (L. B.) Cox, b. July 15, 1877. Died
July 26, 1883.
- (986) J. L. (Lem) Cox, b. July 10, 1879. Died July
3, 1883.

WILLIAM MARION COX (974)

Son of Nica Jane Cox (59) & Samuel Hampton Cox.

Born Oct. 30, 1854 in Texas. Died Oct. 24, 1947.

Married Nancy Woods on Feb. 24, 1884. She was born March 9, 1867. Died Jan. 22, 1937. Both are buried in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.

Children:

- (987) Dora Viola Cox, b. Dec. 24, 1884.
- (988) Cora Jane Cox, b. Dec. 2, 1886.
- (989) Mary Ida Cox, b. Feb. 23, 1889.
- (990) Clara Beatrice Cox, b. Dec. 17, 1892.
Married Dewey Biles on Feb. 12, 1919.
- (991) Uriel Gertie Flora Cox, b. Mar. 28, 1895.
Married Robert Boyer on July 1, 1923.
- (992) Horace William Cox, b. Aug. 19, 1898.
- (993) Ettie Nancey Overa Cox, b. Oct. 6, 1900.
Married Elmer Sutton on June 17, 1921.
- (994) Bettie Cathren Cox, b. June 30, 1902.
Married Carl Blom on Oct. 8, 1930.
- (995) Ruth Inona Cox, b. Sept. 7, 1904.
Married Hy Smith on Oct. 25, 1941.

DORA VIOLA COX (987)

Daughter of William Marion Cox (974) & Nancy Woods Cox.

Born Dec. 24, 1884.

Married Clyde Polk on Oct. 29, 1911.

Children:

- (996) Neta Polk, b. Sept. 4, 1912.
Married Arthur Norton on Feb. 5, 1944.
No children.
- (997) Viola Polk, b. Sept. 8, 1914.
Married R. D. Ridings on June 26, 1941.
Children:
 - (998) Richard Ridings, b. Oct. 23, 1942.
 - (999) Jerry Ridings, b. Sept. 20, 1946.

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Dora Viola Cox (987) (Continued).

- (1000) Clyden Polk, b. June 28, 1916.
Married Furber Wright on June 23, 1939.
Children:
 (1001) Bobby Wright, b. Sept. 22, 1940.
 (1002) Linda Wright, b. Mar. 29, 1942.
- (1003) Nelson Polk, b. Mar. 18, 1918.
Married Blessie McCall on Jan. 30, 1943.
Children:
 (1004) Janet Polk, b. Nov. 17, 1946.
- (1005) Louise Polk, b. Apr. 12, 1920.
Married Richard Lee on Jan. 16, 1942.
Children:
 (1006) Theresa Lee, b. Oct. 25, 1943.
 (1007) Terry Lee, b. June 23, 1948.
- (1008) Patricia Polk, b. Mar. 14, 1922.
Married Delbert Russ on Jan. 16, 1943.
Children:
 (1009) Ritera Russ, b. Mar. 7, 1944.
 (1010) Stevie Russ, b. Sept. 6, 1949.
- (1011) Cordelia Polk, b. Feb. 8, 1924.
Married R. H. Smith on May 6, 1946.
Children:
 (1012) Barbara Smith, b. Aug. 3, 1947.
 (1013) Nancy Smith, b. Mar. 23, 1949.
 (1014) Kay Smith, b. Dec. 15, 1954.

MARY IDA COX (989)

Daughter of William Marion Cox (974) & Nancy Woods Cox.

Born Feb. 23, 1889.

Married Minus Biles on June 16, 1912. (Living in Nolanville, Texas in 1955).

Children:

- (1015) Melvin Biles, b. Aug. 24, 1913. Died Jan. 19, 1934.
- (1016) Luzell Biles, b. June 16, 1916.
Married J. L. Kelly on Oct. 21, 1938.
Children:
 (1017) Sunshine Kelly, b. May 1, 1939.
 (1018) Doris Lue Kelly, b. Sept. 14, 1940.
 (1019) Jim Kelly, b. Aug. 5, 1941.
 (1020) Dearil Lin Kelly, b. Dec. 13, 1942.

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Mary Ida Cox (989) (Continued).

- (1021) J. W. Biles, b. Oct. 31, 1919.
Married Mary Hinkel on June 7, 1946.
Children:
(1022) Susan Biles, b. July 5, 1948.
- (1023) Jack Biles, b. Dec. 31, 1923.
Married Evelyn Giles on June 2, 1951.
No children.
- (1024) Earl Lee Biles, b. Aug. 21, 1925. Died Jan. 8, 1934.

HORACE WILLIAM COX (992)

Son of William Marion Cox (974) & Nancy Woods Cox.

Born Aug. 19, 1898 in Bell Co., Texas. (Living in Houston, Texas, in 1955).

Married Annalene Ray on Jan. 4, 1920. She was born Feb. 19, 1901, the daughter of Donathan Tankersley Ray and Dovie Anna Furnace Ray.

Children:

- (1025) Horace William Cox, Jr., b. Dec. 6, 1920.
Married Elsie Wiedman on Apr. 12, 1942. B. 3/20/22.
Children:
(1026) Horace William Cox III, b. June 23, 1943.
- (1027) Joseph Ray Cox, b. May 25, 1922.
Married Edna Elizabeth Huggins on Aug. 12, 1942.
Children: (B. 12/23/22.)
(1028) Elizabeth Ann Cox, b. May 20, 1943.
(1029) Dianna Ray Cox, b. Apr. 9, 1947.
(1030) Bettie Jean Cox, b. Nov. 3, 1950.
- (1031) Wallace Martin Cox, b. Jan. 12, 1929.
Married Lila Merle Smith on Apr. 3, 1949.
She was born Sept. 20, 1929.
Children:
(1032) Rebecca Suzanne Cox, b. Apr. 24, 1953.
- (1033) Caroline Cox, b. Sept. 23, 1930.
Married Fredrick Dana Magoon on Feb. 14, 1949.
He was born Mar. 19, 1921.
Children:
(1034) Terry Eileen Magoon, b. Jan. 31, 1953.
(1035) Ricky Magoon, b. Nov. 28, 1955.
- (1036) Carl Blohm Cox, b. Oct. 14, 1933.
(1037) Patricia Ann Cox, b. Jan. 5, 1940.
(1038) Hal Evans Cox, b. Nov. 24, 1941.
(1039) Linda Kay Cox, b. Oct. 9, 1947.



ANDREW HAMPTON COX (975)

Son of Nica Jane Cox (59) & Samuel Hampton Cox.

Born Aug. 18, 1856-58.

Married Mary M. Hayes in May 1878-79. She was born Nov. 4, 1859-60.

Children:

(1040) Hettie Cox, b. Jan. 29, 1880.

(1041) Elia Cox, b. Aug. 27, 1882. Died July 27, 1883.

(1042) Nallie Cox, b. Sept. 29, 1887.

HETTIE COX (1040)

Daughter of Andrew Hampton Cox (975) & Mary Hayes Cox.

Born Jan. 29, 1880. (Living in Yucaipa, Calif., in 1956.)

Married (a) Ernest Franklin Hamilton on Aug. 23, 1896. He was born Jan. 21, 1875. Died May 2, 1925.

Children:

(1043) Ezra Hamilton, b. Aug. 5, 1897. Died Jan. 27, 1899.

(1044) Doyle Hamilton, b. June 24, 1898.

(1045) Octa Mae Hamilton, b. Sept. 13, 1901.

(1046) Terrell D. Hamilton, b. Jan. 28, 1905.

(1047) Cecil Victor Hamilton, b. Jan. 21, 1910.

Married (b) George Elbern Harris on Apr. 22, 1934. He died in October, 1938.

DOYLE HAMILTON (1044)

Son of Hettie Cox Hamilton (1040) & Ernest F. Hamilton.

Born June 24, 1898.

Married Flossie Mathews.

Children:

(1048) Ernest Dean Hamilton.

(1049) Doyle Hamilton, Jr., b. Sept. 1926.

Married. Two children.



OCTA MAE HAMILTON (1045)

Daughter of Hettie Cox Hamilton (1040) & Ernest F. Hamilton.

Born Sept. 13, 1902.

Married (a) Jesse Alford. He died March 24, 1938.

Children:

- (1050) Andrew Franklin Alford. (Twin).
- (1051) Philip Edward Alford. (Twin).
- (1052) Jeanine Alford.

Married (b) Herbert Thompson.

TERRELL D. HAMILTON (1046)

Son of Hettie Cox Hamilton (1040) & Ernest F. Hamilton.

Born Jan. 28, 1905.

Married Mabel Williams.

Children:

One daughter; one son.

CECIL VICTOR HAMILTON (1047)

Son of Hettie Cox Hamilton (1040) & Ernest F. Hamilton.

Born Jan. 21, 1910.

Married Maudelle Harris.

Children:

Two daughters.

NALLIE COX (1042)

Son of Andrew Hampton Cox (975) & Mary Hayes Cox.

Born Sept. 29, 1887. (Living in Ft. Worth, Texas in 1956).

Married Ruth Gray on Nov. 23, 1912.

Children:

- (1053) Mary Loutitia Cox, b. Sept. 5, 1913.
Married Louis Armstrong on Jan. 31, 1933. (Dallas, Tex.)
Children:
 - (1054) Malinda Jane Armstrong, b. June 17, 1954.
 - (1055) Andy Armstrong, b. Jan. 12, 1952.

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Nallie Cox (1042) (Continued).

- (1056) Emma Ruth Cox, b. Apr. 23, 1921.
 Married Elmer W. Finley on May 28, 1942. (Dallas, Tex.)
 Children:
 (1057) Marsha Lou Finley, b. June 10, 1944.
 (1058) Ronald Finley, b. June 1, 1947.
 (1059) Randolph Finley, b. Apr. 24, 1951.

MARTHA MALINDA COX (976)

Daughter of Nica Jane Cox (59) & Samuel Hampton Cox.

Born 1858 in Bell Co., Texas. Died 1947.

Married B. L. Hicks. He was born in 1861. Died 1920.
 (Both are buried in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.)

Children:

- (1060) Samuel E. Hicks, b. 1882. Died 1886.
 (1061) Ludy Hicks.
 (1062) Mittie Hicks, b. 1884.
 Married Debbie P. Morriss. B. 1880. D. 1940.
 (1063) Perry Sterling Hicks, b. Mar. 3, 1888.
 (1064) Effie Hicks.
 (1065) George Hicks, b. Mar. 19, 1893.
 (1066) David Hicks.
 (1067) Bracewell Hicks.
 Married Miss Kirkpatrick.
 Child:
 (1068) Mary Joe Hicks.
 (1069) Emma Hicks.
 Married Thomas Booker.
 (1070) Earl Hicks.
 (1071) Ellis Hicks.
 Married Nola Cox (413) daughter of Hugh Mart Cox (322).
 (1072) Samuel Hicks, b. Oct. 19, 1882. Died Dec. 16, 1886.
 (1073) Orby Hicks, b. Apr. 16, 1891. Died Oct. 30, 1891.

PERRY STERLING HICKS (1063)

Son of Martha Malinda Cox Hicks (976) & B. L. Hicks.

Born Mar. 3, 1888.

Married Emma Dison. She was born Sept. 7, 1890.

Children:

- (1074) Veda Mae Hicks, b. Jan. 8, 1908.
 (1075) Lois Hicks, b. Mar. 31, 1910. Died June 16, 1911.
 (1076) Lloyd Willard Hicks, b. Mar. 23, 1915.
 (1077) Nola Hicks, b. Jan. 19, 1920.

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VEDA MAE HICKS (1074)

Daughter of Perry Sterling Hicks (1063) & Emma Dison Hicks.

Born Jan. 8, 1908.

Married Orville Ranne.

Children:

(1078) Violet Ranne.

(1079) Lewis Neal Ranne.

LLOYD WILLARD HICKS (1076)

Son of Perry Sterling Hicks (1063) & Emma Dison Hicks.

Born Mar. 23, 1915.

Married Dorothy Hillard.

Children:

(1080) Janice Hicks.

(1081) Linda Hicks.

(1082) Debra Hicks.

NOLA HICKS (1077)

Daughter of Perry Sterling Hicks (1063) & Emma Dison Hicks.

Born Jan. 19, 1920.

Married Harvey Barnett.

Children:

(1083) Kenneth Wayne Barnett.

(1084) Michel Glenn Barnett.

GEORGE HICKS (1065)

Son of Martha Malinda Cox Hicks (976) & B. L. Hicks.

Born Mar. 19, 1893. (Living in Killeen, Texas in 1956.)

Married Bessie Lewis on Dec. 13, 1913. She was born Dec. 22, 1896.

Children:

(1085) Louis Ben Hicks, b. Dec. 12, 1914. Died Mar. 4, 1919.

(1086) Ethel Lynett Hicks, b. June 13, 1916.

(1087) Carlton Eldreg Hicks, b. Feb. 22, 1917. D. Oct. 31, 1917.

(1088) Georgie Nadean Hicks, b. May 15, 1920. D. Feb. 12, 1921.

(1089) George Hilton Hicks, b. Oct. 16, 1922.



ETHEL LYNETT HICKS (1086)

Daughter of George Hicks (1065) & Bessie Lewis Hicks.

Born June 13, 1916.

Married Ray M. Turner on Sept. 9, 1934.

Children:

- (1090) Charles Ray Turner, b. Feb. 24, 1940.
- (1091) Georgie Turner, b. Jan. 3, 1943. Died same date.
- (1092) Curtis Lynn Turner, b. Feb. 6, 1945.

GEORGE HILTON HICKS (1089)

Son of George Hicks (1065) & Bessie Lewis Hicks.

Born Oct. 16, 1922. (In U. S. Armed Forces in 1955).

Married Aurelia Anderson on Sept. 13, 1952.

Children:

- (1093) Georgia Sue Hicks, b. Sept. 10, 1953.

MARY COX (977)

Daughter of Nica Jane Cox (59) & Samuel Hampton Cox.

Born about 1860 in Texas.

Married John Hodges. (Family moved to Joplin, Mo.)

Children:

- (1094) Mary Hodges.
- (1095) Franklin Hodges.
- (1096) Arthur Hodges.
- (1097) Earl Hodges.

(Record incomplete).

FLEMING TRIGG COX (978)

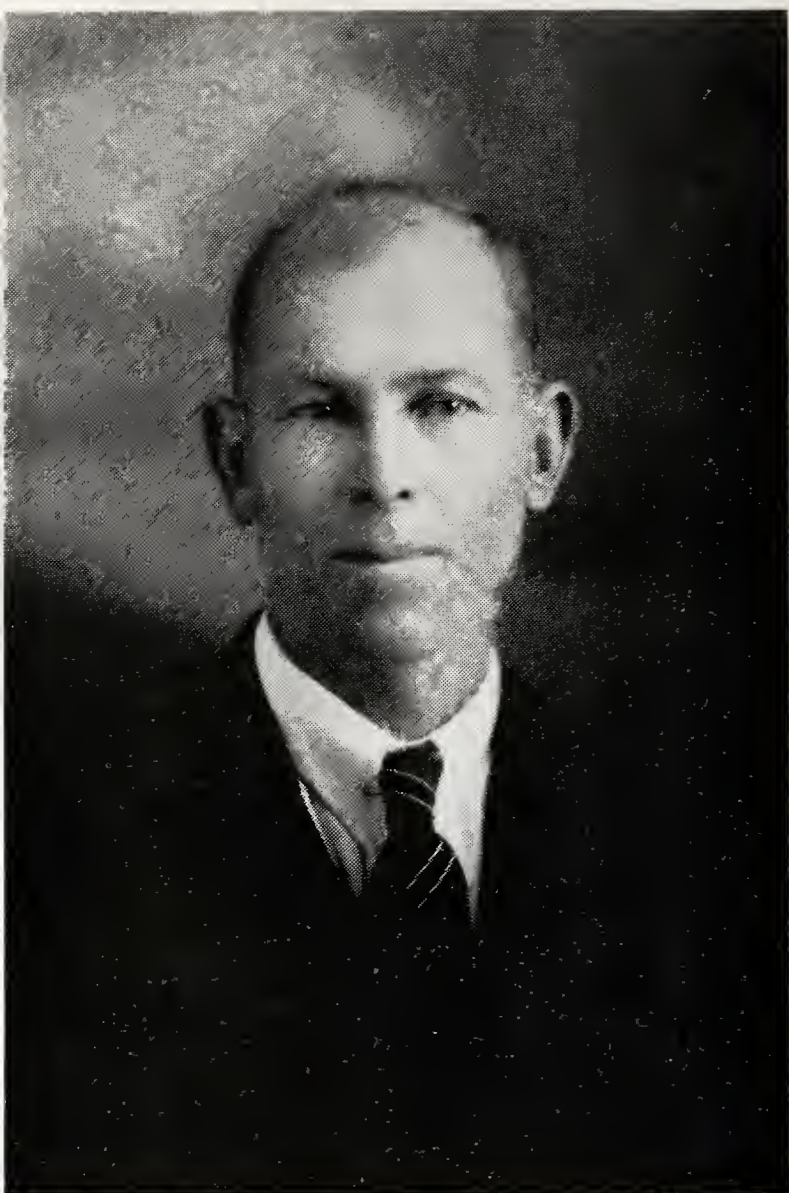
Son of Nica Jane Cox (59) & Samuel Hampton Cox.

Born 1862 in Texas. Died Mar. 30, 1918. (Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.)

Married Margaret Rachel Jones. She was the daughter of Jasper M. and Margaret Jones. Margaret Rachel was born in 1863-64. Died about 1902.

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Hiram Reynolds Cox (1102)



Mrs. Hiram Reynolds Cox
(Myrtle Louise Thompson)

Fleming Trigg Cox (978) (Continued).

Children:

- (1098) Ollie S. Cox, b. Oct. 28, 1882.
- (1099) Trigg Arthur Cox, b. 1884. Died 1895.*
- (1100) Winnie Cox, b. 1886. Died 1895.*
- (1101) Johnny Cox, b. 1889. Died 1895.*
- (1102) Hiram Reynolds Cox, b. Apr. 20, 1892.
- (1103) Millie Cecil Cox, b. May 25, 1895.
- (1104) Katy Cox, b. Mar. 18, 1897. Died Dec. 3, 1918.
- (1105) Ervin Cox, b. about 1899. Died about 1900.

* These three children are said to have died within three days as a result of eating poke berries.

OLLIE S. COX (1098)

Son of Fleming Trigg Cox (978) & Margaret Jones Cox.

Born Oct. 28, 1882. Died Apr. 28, 1949. (North Belton Cemetery, Belton, Tex.)

Married Meely L. Stauffer. She was born Jan. 17, 1893.

Children:

- (1106) Edna Cox. (Married and has children.)
- (1107) Another son. " " " "
- (1108) Debbie Cox. " " " "
- (1109) Jewell E. Cox, b. June 17, 1919. Died Mar. 25, 1944.
(No children.)
- (1110) Lucille Cox. (Married and has children.)
- (1111) Another daughter. " " " "

HIRAM REYNOLDS COX (1102)

Son of Fleming Trigg Cox (978) & Margaret Jones Cox.

Born Apr. 20, 1892 in Texas. (Living in San Antonio in 1955.)

Married Myrtle Louise Thompson on Nov. 29, 1916. She was born Nov. 6, 1894.

Children:

- (1112) H. R. Cox, Jr., b. Mar. 4, 1919. Died July 21, 1935.
- (1113) Augusta Louise Cox, b. Sept. 2, 1926.
Married John Peter Classen on June 18, 1949.
Children:
 - (1114) Cynthia Lynn Classen, b. Apr. 3, 1954.
 - (1115) Wayne Reynolds Classen, b. Sept. 15, 1955.

MILLIE CECIL COX (1103)

Daughter of Fleming Trigg Cox (978) & Margaret Jones Cox.

Born May 25, 1895. (Living in Killeen, Texas in 1955).

Married George Tolbert Stewart. (Dec'd).

Children:

(1116)	George Tolbert Stewart, Jr.	(Married; one child).
(1117)	Arthur Emser Stewart.	" " "
(1118)	Harry Stewart.	" " "
(1119)	Lou Jean Stewart.	" two children.
(1120)	Marie Stewart.	" " "
(1121)	Gladys Stewart.	" " "
(1122)	Thelma Stewart.	" " "

SAMUEL DAVID COX (979)

Son of Nica Jane Cox (59) & Samuel Hampton Cox.

Born Dec. 20, 1864. Died Mar. 2, 1942. (Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas).

Married Vollie Rebecca Warren on Dec. 21, 1884. She was born June 18, 1868. (Living in Dallas, Texas, in 1955). She and her sister Sarah Jane Warren, who married Andy Porter Cox (65), were daughters of Henry Clay Warren and Mary Ellen (Keith) Warren.

Children:

(1123) Infant son, born and died Sept. 7, 1885.

(1124) Mary Ella Cox, b. Oct. 21, 1887.
Married J. Collin Chrisman. B. 1885. D. 1948.
Child:
(1125) Rosella Chrisman.

(1126) Nettie Bell Cox, b. Aug. 25, 1888. Died Jan. 29, 1891.

(1127) Rose Ethel Cox, b. Mar. 2, 1890.
Married Hershal Walter Sadler. B. 1889. D. 1949.
Children:
(1128) Nina Rebecca Sadler.
(1129) Pauline Sadler.
(1130) Mary Ella Sadler.

(1131) Pearl Cox, b. June 28, 1893. Died Sept. 27, 1900.

(1132) David Riley Cox, b. Oct. 15, 1895.

(1133) Benjamin Floyd Cox, b. July 11, 1898.

(1134) Barton Lee Cox, b. Aug. 5, 1902.



COLUMBUS ALONZO COX (981)

Son of Nica Jane Cox (59) & Samuel Hampton Cox.

Born Feb. 13, 1869 in Bell Co., Texas. Died Oct. 24, 1943.

Married Narcissa Miller. She was born Nov. 2, 1871. Died Nov. 26, 1933. She was the daughter of Thomas Franklin and Virginia (Wylie) Miller.

Both are buried in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas.

Children:

(1135) Newtie Heuing Cox, b. Feb. 24, 1889.

(1136) Myrtle Alice Cox, b. Oct. 6, 1890.

Married Arthur Swope, Harlingen, Texas.

Children:

(1137) H. A. Swope.

(1138) Marie Swope.

(1139) Dee Sterling Cox, b. Sept. 29, 1892.

(1140) Virginia Jane Cox, b. Oct. 20, 1894.

(1141) Samuel Hubert Cox, b. Aug. 2, 1897.

(1142) Martha Esther Cox, b. Jan. 22, 1900.

(1143) Thomas Nathan Cox, b. Apr. 3, 1902.

(1144) Reuben Quitis Cox, b. Sept. 1, 1904.

(1145) Hulen Alonzo Cox, b. Feb. 20, 1907.

Married Verby (Ferbie?) Culpepper.

Children: Five sons.

(1146) Bertie Ethel Cox, b. Oct. 5, 1909.

(1147) Robert Schuler Cox, b. July 16, 1912.

NEWTIE HEUING COX (1135)

Son of Columbus Alonzo Cox (981) & Narcissa Miller Cox.

Born Feb. 24, 1889. Died Aug. 5, 1945.

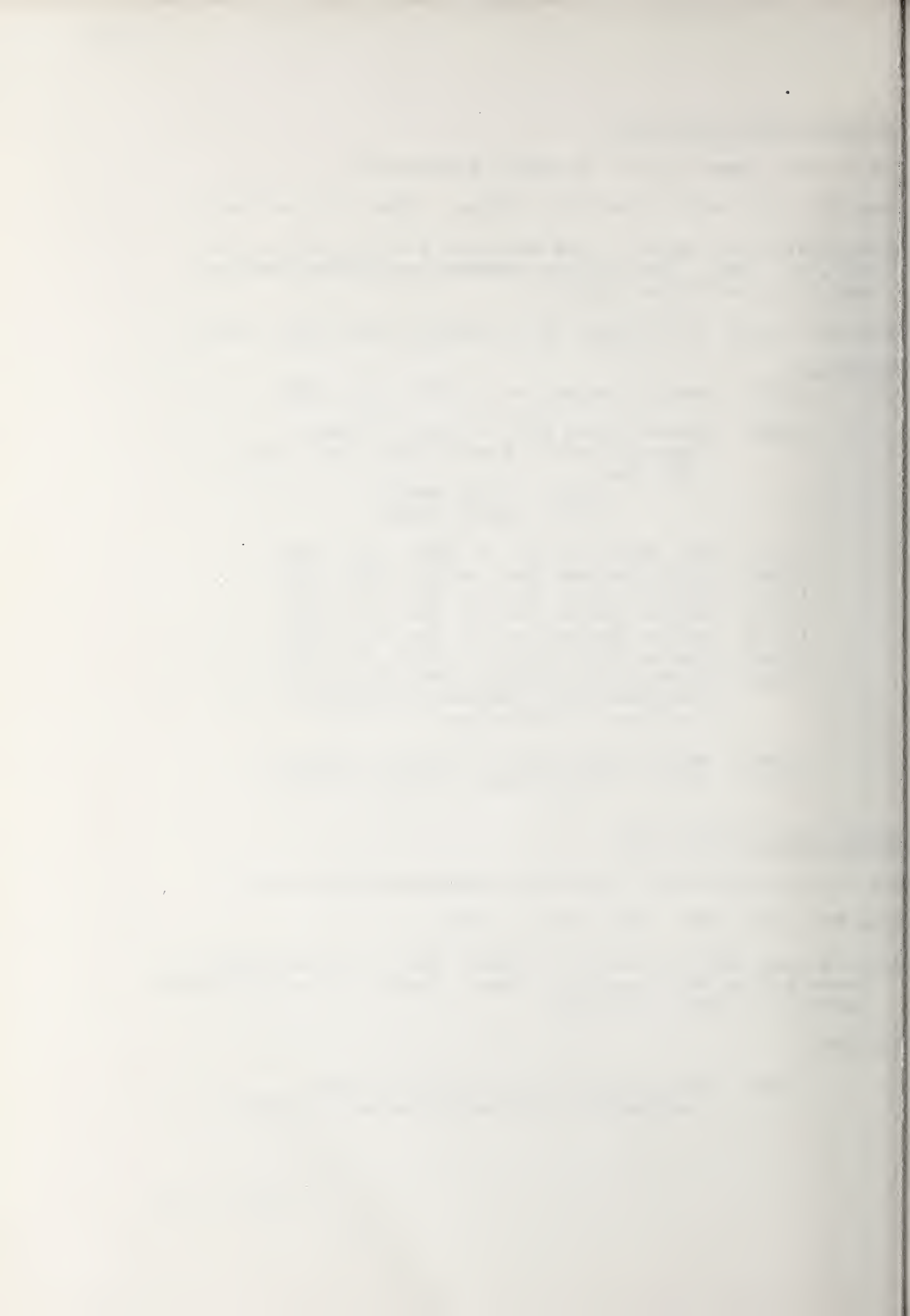
Married Mary Smith on June 10, 1925. She is the daughter of James Mathew Smith and Lou (Burke) Smith. (Living in Albuquerque, N. Mex., in 1955).

Children:

(1148) Betty Ruth Cox, b. July 26, 1928.

Married Wm. W. Moseley on Aug. 6, 1950.

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Newtie Herring Cox (1135) (Continued).

(1149) James Lon Cox, b. Feb. 9, 1930.

Married Intha Nell Bone on Dec. 20, 1948.

Children:

(1150) Richard Lee Cox, b. Jan. 10, 1950.

(1151) Burl Heuing Cox, b. July 17, 1952.

(1152) Mary Ann Cox, b. Sept. 29, 1954.

(1153) Lennie Bell Cox, b. Mar. 28, 1931.

Married Walter Lee Hyde on May 10, 1951.

DEE STERLING COX (1139)

Son of Columbus Alonzo Cox (981) & Narcissa Miller Cox.

Born Sept. 29, 1882. Died Mar. 2, 1937.

Married Grace Redman. She was born Sept. 28, 1901. Died
Dec. 2, 1951. (Both in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell Co., Texas).

Children:

(1154) D. S. Cox. (Albuquerque, N. Mex.)

(1155) Alice Cox.

Said to have been five other children.

VIRGINIA JANE COX (1140)

Daughter of Columbus Alonzo Cox (981) & Narcissa Miller Cox.

Born Oct. 20, 1894.

Married Thomas Lee Swope on Jan. 18, 1913. He was born Jan.
9, 1884.

Children:

(1156) Lonnie Lee Estelle Swope, b. May 25, 1914.

Married Andy Wells. He was born June 29, 1914.

Children:

(1157) Kenneth K. Wells, b. July 7, ____.

Married Evelyn Hill.

(1158) Son, b. Mar. 15, 1952.

(1159) Jack Orland Wells.

(1160) Ronald Warren Wells, b. Oct. 17, ____.

(1161) Virginia Catherine Wells, b. Feb. 20, ____.

(1162) Newtie Dee Swope, b. Dec. 22, 1918.

Married Faye Hardiman on June 13, 1937.

Children:

(1163) Newton Lee Swope, b. Nov. 5, 1938.

(1164) David Ray Swope, b. July 17, 1942.

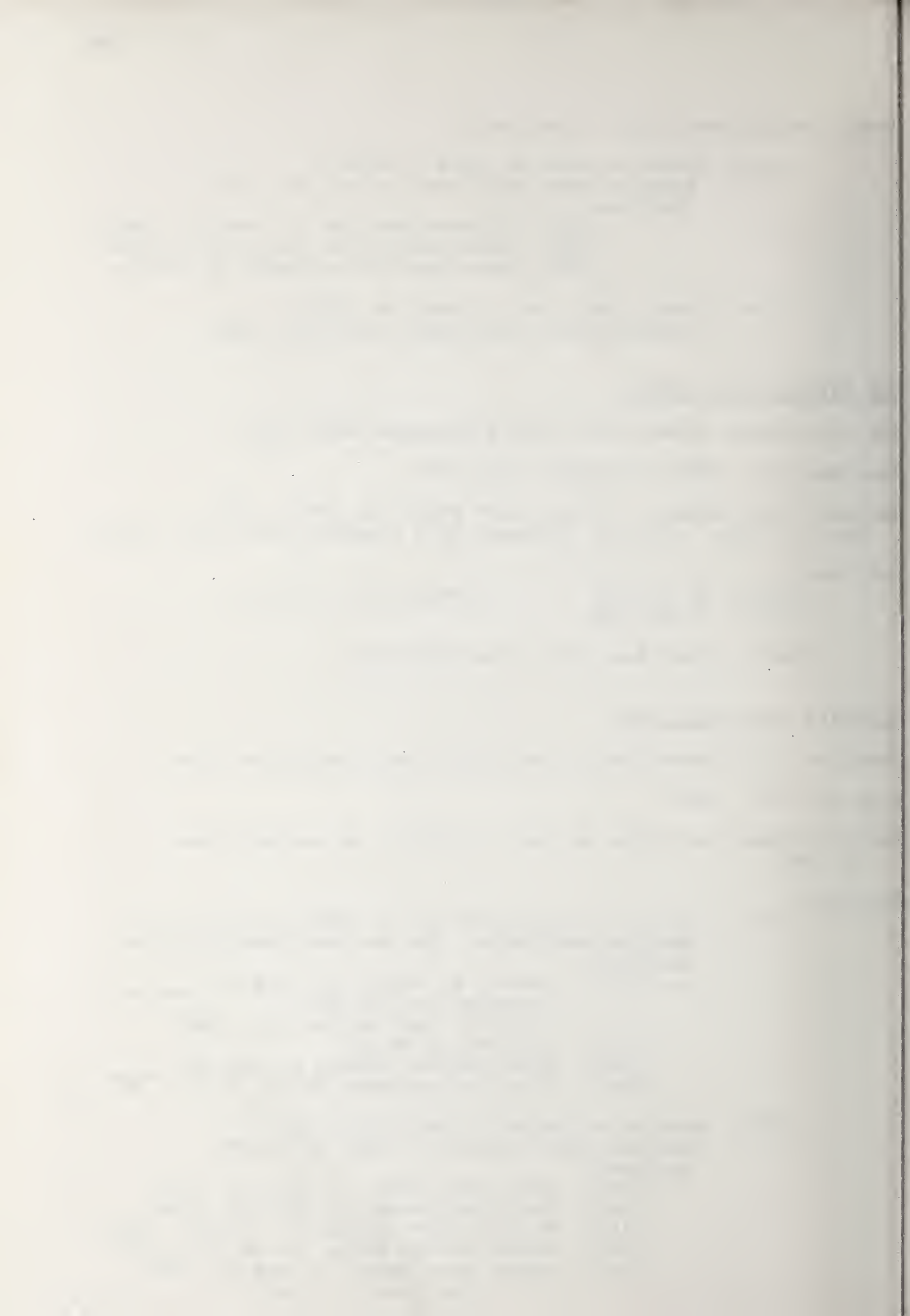
(1165) William Larry Swope, b. July 25, 1940.

(1166) Vernon Arthur Swope, b. July 9, 1943.

(1167) Valera Faye Swope, b. May 19, 1945

Died June 27, 1945.

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Virginia Jane Cox (1140) (Continued).

(1168) Narcissa Margaret Swope, b. Dec. 30, 1921.
Married (a) L. B. Everett in 1938.

Child:

(1169) Barton Lee Everett, b. May 22, 1939.
Married (b) Woodrow Farris in 1941.

Children:

(1170) Joe Raymond Farris, b. Sept. 10, 1942.
(1171) Mary Jane Farris, b. Nov. 2, 1945.
(1172) Thomas John Farris, b. June 21, 1948.

SAMUEL HUBERT COX (1141)

Son of Columbus Alonzo Cox (981) & Narcissa Miller Cox.

Born Aug. 2, 1897. Died July 26, 1951.

Married Irene Oswalt of Brookhaven, Texas, on Apr. 16, 1918. She was born June 30, 1889. Died Jan. 19, 1946. (Both are buried in Lubbock Cemetery, Lubbock, Texas.)

Children:

(1173) Samuel Hubert Cox, Jr., b. June 8, 1921.
(1174) Doris Nell Cox, b. Oct. 14, 1923.
(1175) Mary Jean Cox, b. Jan. 10, 1927.
(1176) Jo Evelyn Cox, b. Aug. 18, 1929.
(1177) Lon Ed Cox, b. Apr. 27, 1931.
(1178) John Larry Cox, b. Dec. 18, 1934.
(1179) Amanda Lynn Cox, b. June 12, 1937.
(1180) Billy Jack Cox, b. Feb. 15, 1941.

SAMUEL HUBERT COX, JR. (1173)

Son of Samuel Hubert Cox (1141) & Irene Oswalt Cox.

Born June 8, 1921.

Married Ernestine Gaston on Nov. 13, 1943 in Starkville, Miss. She was born Oct. 4, 1921.

Children:

(1181) Samuel Hubert Cox III, b. Jan. 16, 1945.
Died Apr. 14, 1945.
(1182) James Gaston Cox, b. Oct. 21, 1946.
(1183) Tommy Paul Cox, b. May 25, 1949.



DORIS NELL COX (1174)

Daughter of Samuel Hubert Cox (1141) & Irene Oswalt Cox.

Born Oct. 14, 1923.

Married Elbert Seale on May 16, 1940 in Lubbock, Texas. He was born Jan. 7, 1915.

Children:

- (1184) Elbert Don Seale, b. Dec. 3, 1942.
- (1185) Joe Dan Seale, b. July 3, 1945.
- (1186) Janie Irene Seale, b. May 16, 1947.

MARY JEAN COX (1175)

Daughter of Samuel Hubert Cox (1141) & Irene Oswalt Cox.

Born Jan. 10, 1927.

Married Garth Gotcher on May 30, 1943 in Ropesville, Texas.

Children:

- (1187) Ronald Wayne Gotcher, b. Feb. 22, 1946.
- (1188) Dennis Ray Gotcher, b. Apr. 21, 1947.

JO EVELYN COX (1176)

Daughter of Samuel Hubert Cox (1141) & Irene Oswalt Cox.

Born Aug. 18, 1929.

Married Calvin Lamb on Aug. 13, 1949 in Slaton, Texas.

Children:

- (1189) Ernest Brent Lamb, b. Sept. 21, 1950.
- (1190) Gregg Mitchell Lamb, b. July 7, 1953.
Died July 9, 1953.
- (1191) James Bradley Lamb, b. July 30, 1954.

LON ED COX (1177)

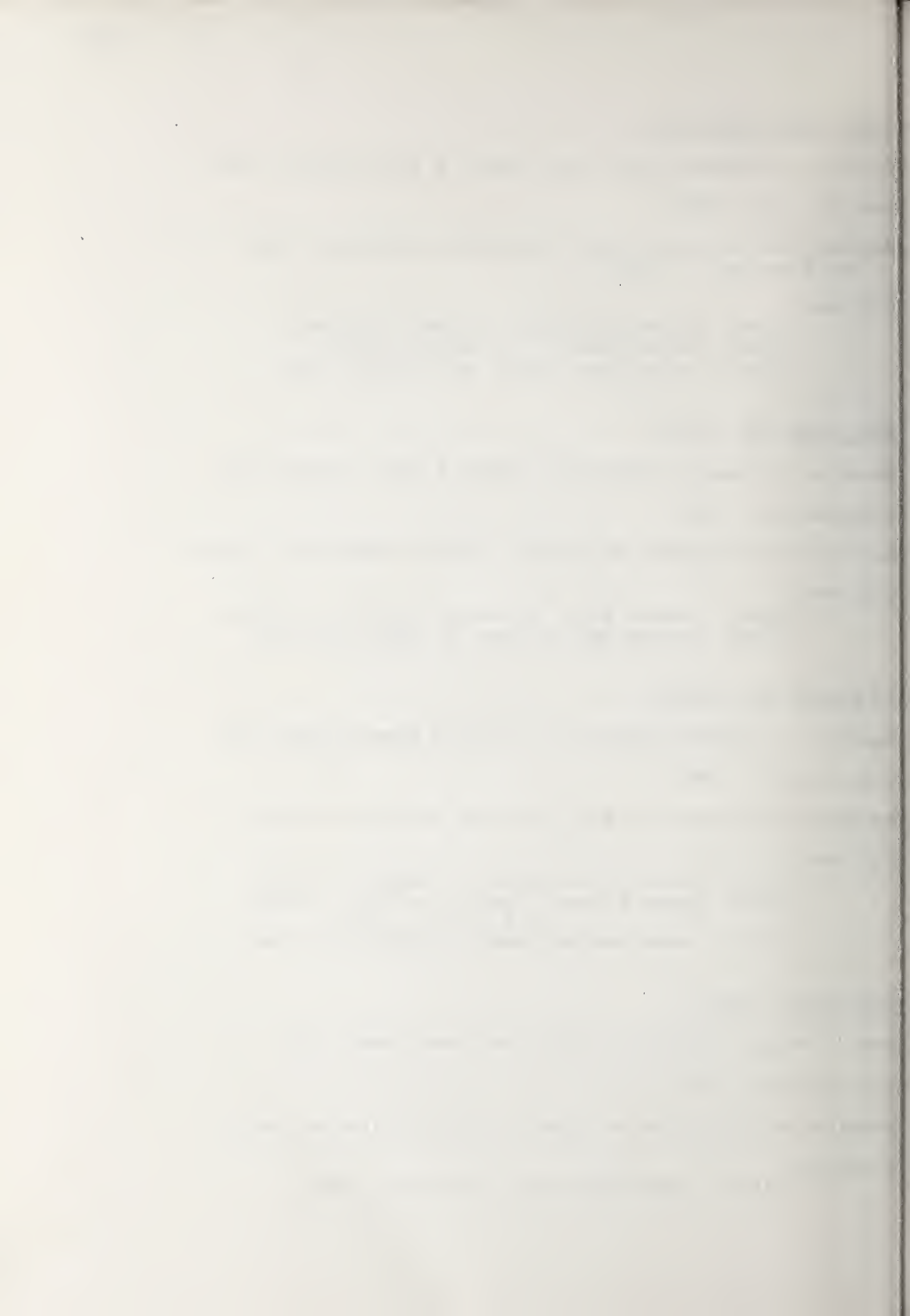
Son of Samuel Hubert Cox (1141) & Irene Oswalt Cox.

Born Apr. 27, 1931.

Married Ruth Williams on June 10, 1950 in Idalou, Texas.

Children:

- (1192) Lonna Jean Cox, b. Mar. 14, 1952.



JOHN LARRY COX (1178)

Son of Samuel Hubert Cox (1141) & Irene Oswalt Cox.

Born Dec. 18, 1934.

Married Eunice Clyde Parden on Oct. 23, 1954 in Elizabeth City, N.J.

Children:

(1193) Samuel Wade Cox, b. July 21, 1955.

AMANDA LYNN COX (1179)

Daughter of Samuel Hubert Cox (1141) & Irene Oswalt Cox.

Born June 12, 1937.

Married Truman Harrison on Oct. 12, 1953 in Clovis, New Mexico.

Children:

(1194) Rhonda Jo Harrison.

MARTHA ESTHER COX (1142)

Daughter of Columbus Alonzo Cox (981) & Narcissa Miller Cox.

Born Jan. 22, 1900. (Living in El Paso, Texas in 1955).

Married (a) Ben S. Layne.

Children:

(1195) Louis S. Lane, b. 1920. Died 1921.

(1196) Harold Ben Layne.

Married (b) Floyd Lloyd.

Children:

(1197) Ada May Lloyd, b. about 1937.

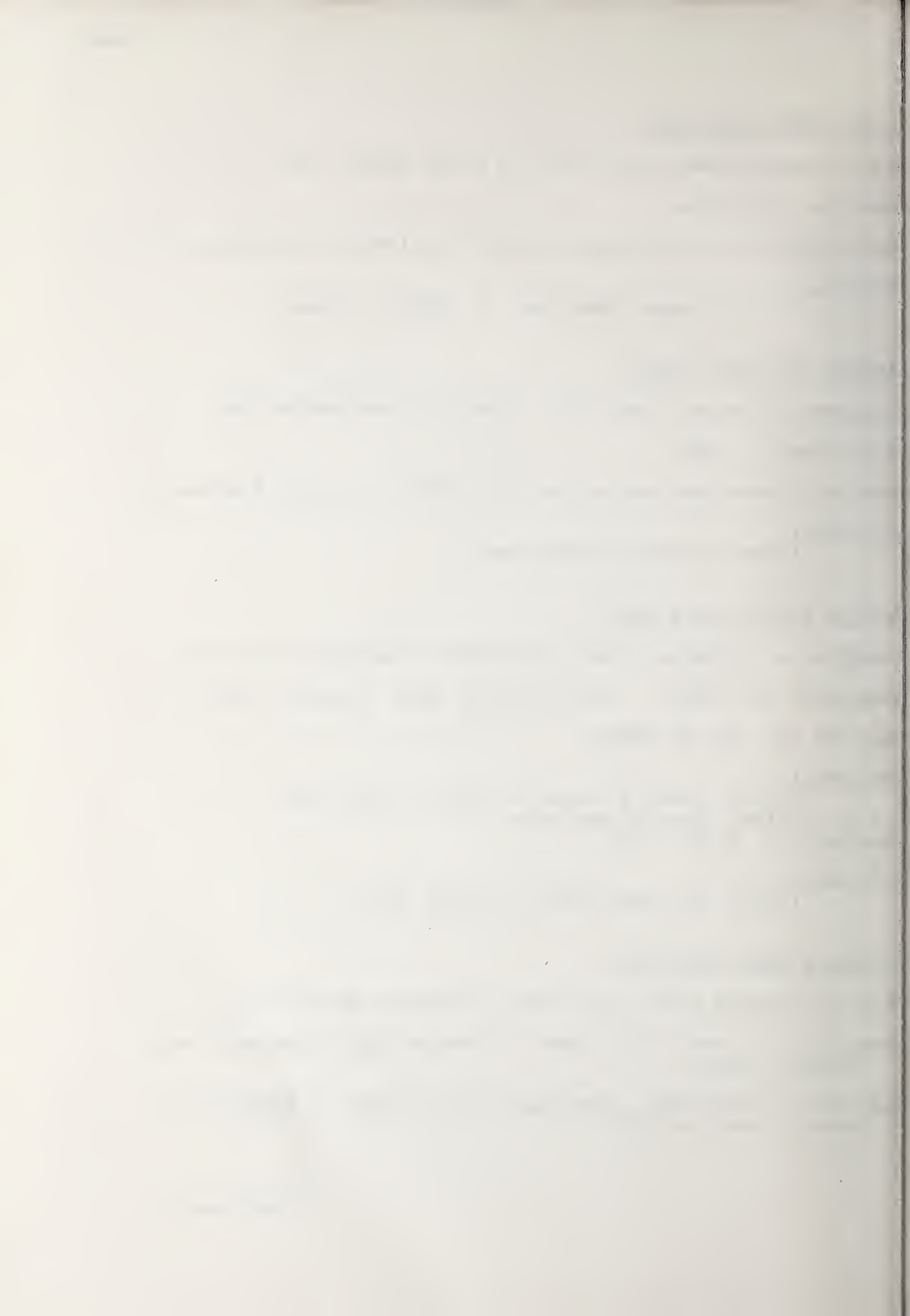
THOMAS NATHAN COX (1143)

Son of Columbus Alonzo Cox (981) & Narcissa Miller Cox.

Born Apr. 3, 1902. Died 1948. (Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Bell County, Texas.)

Married Inez Williams. She was born in 1903. (Living in La Feria, Texas in 1955).

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Thomas Nathan Cox (1143) (Continued).

Children:

- (1198) Vaulterine Cox.
- (1199) Tommielene Cox.
- (1200) Reuben Howard Cox, b. 1928. Died 1929.
- (1201) T. E. Cox.
- (1202) Glendale Cox.
- (1203) La Vel Cox.

REUBEN QUITIS COX (1144)

Son of Columbus Alonzo Cox (981) & Narcissa Miller Cox.

Born Sept. 1, 1904. (Living in Santa Rosa, Texas in 1955.)

Married Emmy White.

Children:

- (1204) Lemuel Cox.
- (1205) Lawrence Cox.
- (1206) Allan Cox.
- (1207) Daisy Merle Cox.
- (1208) Jerry Cox.
- (1209) Mary Sue Cox.

BERTIE ETHEL COX (1146)

Son of Columbus Alonzo Cox (981) & Narcissa Miller Cox.

Born Oct. 5, 1909.

Married Hufford R. Watson.

Children:

- (1210) Hufford Dean Watson. (Died young).
- (1211) Lewis Watson.
- (1212) Trena Watson.
- (1213) Esther Kay Watson.

ROBERT SCHULER COX (1147)

Son of Columbus Alonzo Cox (981) & Narcissa Miller Cox.

Born July 16, 1912.

Married Frances Wells.

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Robert Schuler Cox (1147) (Continued).

Children:

- (1214) Twins. Died young.
- (1215) Betty Frances Cox.
- (1216) Bobby (Roberta ?) Cox.
- (1217) Russell D. Cox.
- (1218) Robert Cox.

HANNAH JANE COX (983)

Daughter of Nica Jane Cox (59) & Samuel Hampton Cox.

Born Dec. 21, 1871. Died Sept. 2, 1939.

Married Waldo Michael Sanford on Feb. 28, 1888. He was born July 31, 1860. Died Jan. 14, 1940.

Children:

- (1219) Ira Bailey Sanford, b. Sept. 17, 1889.
Married Bernie Lee VanSant on Dec. 20, 1912.

Children:

- (1220) Bernie Lee Sanford.
- (1221) Bascom Neal Sanford.
- (1222) Mary Kathryn Sanford.

- (1223) Robert Waldo Sanford, b. Feb. 8, 1891. D. May 16, 1931.
Married Eulalia Foster on July 8, 1913.

Children:

- (1224) Elgene Sanford.
- (1225) Dorothy Sanford.

- (1226) Bertie Anna Sanford, b. Nov. 21, 1892.
Married Clarence McSpadden, on Feb. 5, 1918.

Children:

- (1227) Josephine Charlotte McSpadden.
- (1228) Warren Garland McSpadden.
- (1229) James Calvin McSpadden.
- (1230) Juanita Jane McSpadden.

- (1231) Wilbur Trig Sanford, b. Feb. 24, 1894.
Married Louise McHenry on June 13, 1926.

Children:

- (1232) Wilbur Trig Sanford, Jr.
- (1233) Jane Sanford.
- (1234) Mack Sanford.
- (1235) Jack Sanford.

- (1236) Archie Samuel Sanford, b. Mar. 26, 1896. D. Feb. 5, 1924.
Married Gladys Marie Lowe on July 6, 1918.

Children:

- (1237) Charles Edward Sanford.

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Hannah Jane Cox (983) (Continued).

- (1238) Grace Evelyn Sanford, b. Mar. 2, 1898.
Married Lloyd Glendon Stallings on Dec. 14, 1919. (Dec'd)
Children:
 (1239) LaVerne Glenelyn Stallings.
- (1240) Dewey Michael Sanford, b. Jan. 24, 1900.
- (1241) Lloyd Sanford, b. Sept. 12, 1902. D. June 21, 1938.
Married Edna Reese on Sept. 28, 1920.
Children:
 (1242) Edna Lee Sanford.
 (1243) Ethel Marie Sanford.
- (1244) Cordelia Mae Sanford, b. Nov. 25, 1904.
Married Claude A. Tillery on Dec. 1, 1923.
Children:
 (1245) Weldon A. Tillery.
- (1246) Charlie James Sanford, b. Nov. 25, 1906.
Married Johnnie Sharp on Nov. 9, 1935.
Children:
 (1247) Charline Sanford.
- (1248) Lawrence Leon Sanford, b. Nov. 14, 1908.
Married Elizabeth Robinson on Sept. 26, 1933.
Children:
 (1249) Lawrence Leon Sanford.
 (1250) Ralph Edward Sanford.
 (1251) Tommie Joe Sanford.

PERRY STERLING ASHBY COX (984)

Son of Nica Jane Cox (59) & Samuel Hampton Cox.

Born July 17, 1875 in Texas. Died Oct. 31, 1937.

Married Lillie May Roberts. She was born Sept. 25, 1882. Died Apr. 3, 1950. She was a sister to Finis B. Roberts who married Cora Lee Shriver (689).

(Both are buried in North Belton Cemetery, Belton, Texas.)

Children:

- (1252) Chester Otis Cox, b. 1904. Died Apr. 16, 1922.
(Unmarried).
- (1253) Vera Pearl Cox, b. Oct. 4, 1907.
- (1254) Eldon Cox, b. July 9, 1911.
Married Irene Dillingham.
Children:
 (1255) Perry Lewis Cox, b. Dec. 25, 1937.
 (1256) Yvonne Cox, b. Mar. 19, 1939.



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